Weather
Clear and Cool. The maximum temperature yesterday was 63.3 and the minimum 36.9, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 70.7 and 53.2

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HOOVER WANTS NEW POWERS TO BOOST U.S. TRADE

Secretary, In Speech, Advocates Reorganisation Of Government

NEW METHODS ARE NEEDED

"Increasing Ferocity Of Competition" Calls For Enlarged Effort

(Reuter's Service)

Philadelphia, April 16.—The Secretary of Commerce, Mr Hoover, in the course of a speech delivered here advocated reorganisation of the Federal Government, particularly with regard to the duties of the Department of Commerce.

"Economic changes throughout the world originating from the war, and their reaction on American trade and industry," he asserted, "made it vital, if we are to maintain our standards of living against the increasing ferocity of competition, that we concentrate and enlarge our national effort, aiding, protecting, stimulating and perfecting our industrial and commercial life."

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Washington, April 17.—Mr. Herbert Hoover, Secretary of Commerce, has announced that a survey of the zinc markets of the world will be made by his Department, in order to determine the possibilities in regard to exports, for the relief of the bad situation here.

CYCLONES KILL SCORES, CAUSE HEAVY LOSSES

Fifty Reported Dead In Arkansas, With Several Hundred Injured

(Reuter's Service)

New York, April 16.—A tornado which has swept over Southern Arkansas has caused wide-spread havoc. A least fifty persons lost their lives in the disaster, while hundreds were injured.

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Denver, April 16.—The worst blizzard of the winter is being experienced here. There is a 42-mile gale, and a heavy downfall of snow. Communications are interrupted.

Memphis, Tenn., April 16.—As the result of tornadoes which visited Texas, Arkansas, Tennessee, Alabama and Mississippi on Friday night and today, 75 persons are reported to have been killed, and several hundreds injured. The damage to property is estimated to run into millions.

Congressman Has Plan To Cut Navy

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Washington, April 16.—The resolution introduced by Mr. Rogers in the House of Representatives, urging the President to invite Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan to the disarmament conference, also contains a full program for the reduction of the Navy. Mr. Rogers said that if work were stopped on the present building program, the United States in five years' time would have a Navy decidedly inferior to that of Japan.

British Engineer In Egypt Convicted

(Reuter's Service)

Cairo, April 17.—A cause celebre, tried by Mr. Justice Grain, has ended in the engineer, Sir William Willcocks, who was found guilty of criminal libel and sedition, being bound over for a year in sureties of £1,000, after which he may be deported if his presence in Egypt is considered undesirable.

The case arose from an enquiry by the Nile Irrigation Projects Commission into the charges by Sir William Willcocks and Colonel Kennedy that Sir Murdoch MacDonald, the Adviser to the Public Works Department, had falsified documents in order to suppress facts.

JAP PASSPORT LAW

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 18.—Pasaports held by foreigners entering Japan must be viseed by Japanese officials abroad within a twelvemonth of their landing in Japan, according to amended regulations which have been issued.

Next Empress Of Japan

Princess Nagaka INTL.

PRINCESS Nagaka, daughter of Prince Kuni, of Japan, and member of the Satsuma clan, whose engagement to wed Crown Prince Hirohito has been officially announced. The proposed marriage is bitterly opposed by Prince Yamagata, leader of the Genro and a member of the Chosu clan, a rival of the Satsuma.

LLOYD'S REVEALS GREAT SLUMP IN SHIP BUILDING

Decrease Of 146,000 In Tonnage Launched During Previous Quarter

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 17.—The effects of the shipping slump, owing to the fall in freights, are strikingly illustrated by Lloyd's Register, which shows that the mercantile shipping under construction in the United Kingdom on March 31, was under 3,000,000,000 tons, after deducting 847,000 on which work was suspended owing to the slump or the completion of which was postponed owing to the joiners' strike.

Compared with the quarter ending December 31, 1920, the tonnage launched decreased by 146,000, the tonnage commenced by 113,000 while the tonnage preparing but not commenced has fallen seventy-five percent as compared with a year ago.

The amount of shipping being built abroad is 3,288,000 tons, a decrease of 183,000 tons as compared with December 31, owing to the continued decrease of building in the United States.

Wrangel Rebuked In Note From Paris

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 17.—The failure of General Wrangel to accept France's suggestions regarding the disposal of his troops has drawn from the French Government a stinging note, accusing him of ingratitude in the face of France's heavy financial sacrifices, amounting to 200,000,000 francs, and refusing to continue to feed his troops who it is asserted, are leading a life of idleness. The note adds that General Wrangel has established at Constantinople a kind of Russian government, with the object of preserving an organised army, and that this is a violation of International Law.

Lodge Advocates Columbian Treaty

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 18.—According to the Washington correspondent of The Times, Senator Lodge, speaking in the Senate, advocated the passage of a treaty under which America would pay Colombia twenty-five million dollars for the cession of the Panama Canal zone. Senator Lodge quoted ex-Senator Fall's opinion that such a treaty would be likely to secure to American interests the chief share in the exploitation of Colombia which, he said, would probably become one of the greatest of the world's oilfields.

Ford Meets Chits For $24,500,000

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

New York, April 17.—Bankers here announce that Mr. Henry Ford has just liquidated loans aggregating $24,500,000, thus discrediting reports that Mr. Ford has been seeking money in Wall Street.

SHANGHAI JEWS BID FAREWELL TO EMIGRANTS

First Group Of Far Eastern Jews Leaving Tomorrow For Palestine

EIGHT WOMEN IN PARTY

Forty-two Pioneers To Help Build Holy Land Into Modern Nation

Two hundred and fifty Shanghai Jews gathered last night at 43 Whangpoo road, to extend a farewell to 42 compatriots, comprising the first group of Far Eastern Jews, to leave for Palestine, in the world-wide return-to-Palestine movement.

The party leaves Shanghai tomorrow on the Lloyd Triestino Company's steamer Trieste. They will disembark at Port Said, and there board the newly constructed British war-time railroad, for Haifa, Jaffa and Jerusalem.

The forty two emigrants include merchants, farmers, stock men and artisans. Eight women and several children are included in the party. They are mostly war refugees, from Russia, Poland, Lithuania and Rumania. A few of them have relatives in Palestine; others have friends, but the majority are going "on their own."

The party will be met at their cities of destination by committees of the Zionist Immigration Committee, which will facilitate their finding locations, business connections, or employment, as needed.

OTHERS TO FOLLOW

The group leaving tomorrow, it is announced will be followed by a similar group within a month and, later by others. Ther are a number of applicants for the privilege of returning to Palestine, but transportation problems, preclude all going at once.

The expense of the emigration is being borne by the Zionist Association of the Far East, from collections. Each passage is considered as a loan, to be returned later in instalments.

Mr. M. A. Topas, president of the Palestine Association, Kadimah, presided at yesterday's meeting. He opened with an outline of the purpose of the gathering, a history of the progress made in the movement, and concluded with words of congratulation and encouragement to the 42 pioneers.

Rabbi Hirsch, the first speaker gave wise counsel to the pioneers, speaking in Hebrew. He spoke of the ancient history of Palestine, the present-day needs of the country, and of the duty of those returning to assist in the upbuilding of their fatherland.

MR. EZRA SPEAKS

Mr. N. E. B. Ezra, honorary secretary of the Shanghai Zionist Association, and Shanghai editor of the Israel's Messenger the association's monthly, gave the principal address. He said, in part.

"The object of our meeting this evening is unique in the annals of the history of Zionism. We are here to welcome you and to bid you a hearty farewell. We see before us this evening healthy young men and women who are ready to go to the land of our forefathers and there carve out for us our future destiny.

"You have the privilege of rebuilding the Jewish Homeland You will be welcomed as the first group of pioneers from the land of Sinim. It is indeed a great task and we wish you every success.

"The opportunity is unique. The land of our forefathers is now within our grasp and we are yearning to enter it. You will be the builders of the New Palestine. You must be prepared to toil in the sweat of your brow, in order to make our land once more a glory among the countries of the world. Elaborate measures are being taken for the facilitating of immigration, the purchasing of land, the building of houses, the introduction of immigration, the improvement of sanitation and the construction of roads and railways. These are but a few of the many branches of the great scheme of restoration, which is destined to make Palestine once more the land of Israel.

We hail with joy your departure to the Jewish National Homeland. We expect you to rebuild the New Zion and build it on a sound and solid foundation which the tooth of time shall not be able to gnaw nor the arrows of outrageous fortune shall be able to destroy.

BRITISH AIRMEN ARRIVE

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 16.—The six British officers engaged by the Navy for the Aviation Service arrived today.

CHANG TSO-LIN'S VISIT CAUSES NO WORRY IN PEKING

Officials Glad To Have Opportunity To Confer With General

TO ASK CO-OPERATION

Efforts To Keep Monarchical Bugbear Alive Meeting Little Success

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 17.—The Premier, changed his plans yesterday afternoon and sent the Minister of Commerce, Wang Nai-ping, to meet Chang Tso-lin at Tientsin, in his stead.

No uneasiness is felt at Peking regarding the visit of General Chang. Officials here express satisfaction at the opportunity afforded of discussing with him the various outstanding questions which must be decided shortly.

Chin Yun-feng is anxious to secure General Chang's co-operation in his plans for financial retrenchment and disbandment of the army, which, with the Government's attitude towards Outer Mongolia, call for a complete understanding with the ruler of the three Eastern provinces. On the other hand, Chang Tso-lin desires to gain the Government's approval of his scheme for maintaining order in the Chientao district, while the proposed alliance of the central Tuchuns and the Government's attitude towards Canton will also be discussed.

The Government's recent warning regarding the circulation of monarchical rumors has had the desired effect in native circles; though opponents of the Government and of Chang-Tso-lin are cautiously endeavoring to create a scare, thus far without success.

Peking, April 18.—The Premier will probably go this afternoon to Tientsin where the discussions between Chang Tso-lin and Tsao Kun are continuing.

The arrival of Wang Chuan-yuan, Tuchun of Hupeh, has been temporarily delayed by the suspension of traffic on the Peking-Hankow Railway. Reuter's correspondent at Kaifeng telegraphs that Chow Ti, the Military Governor of Honan, has sent troops to Changtefu in order to suppress the activities of Chen Shen's former command. According to private telegrams from Honan, the men of the First reorganised Honan division suddenly reassembled at Changtefu and demanded the reinstatement of Chen Shen, who is at present in Peking. Thereupon Chow Ti took action, but it is suspected in Peking that Chen's troops are acting under the orders of someone who is interested in preventing General Wang's passage northward.

It is not believed that Wu Pei-fu is in any way connected with affairs at Changtefu, but that Chow Ti's men have cut the Peking Syndicate's railway two miles west of Weihweifu. No reason for the action can as yet be assigned.

The growing conviction that the fate of the Cabinet hangs on the Tientsin conferences, together with the widening ramifications of the Central Tuchuns' alliance, lend an added importance to the developments in Honan which must seriously affect Wu Pei-fu and perhaps force him to assume control of the railway.

(Staff Correspondence To THE CHINA PRESS)

Hankow, April 13,—An urgent telegram was received last Sunday at Wuchang by General Wang Chuan-yuan from General Chang Tso-lin of Fengtien who demanded that ex-General Wu Kwang-hsin of the Anfu Club and former Inspection Commissioner of the Upper Yangtsze now being imprisoned in Wuchang, be given up by General Wang to Peking authorities for final treatment.

Wu Kwang-hsin was a prominent member of the Anfu Club, and his release from prison term has been repeatedly demanded by various militarists in China. The Chinese press in Hankow comments that this action of Chang Tso-lin may be taken as the first indication of renewal of friendship between Chang Tso-lin and members of the Anfu Club including some of its outlawed leaders.

Ship's Mate Accused Of Killing Jap Boy

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 16.—At the trial today of Mr. Frazer, second mate of the Persian Prince, on a charge of manslaughter in connection with the death of a boy pedlar, expert opinion showed that the boy's death was due to hemorrhage of the brain, caused by external injuries. The Procurator demanded a punishment of five years' hard labor. Judgement will be delivered on Tuesday.

Gen. Wood, Due Here Soon, Confers With Secretary Weeks

Secy of War Weeks & Major General Wood INTL.

SECRETARY of War Weeks and Major-General Leonard Wood, arriving at the White House for a conference with President Harding. General Wood is now enroute to the Philippines to make a survey of conditions there.

The Unexpurgated Diary Of A Shanghai Baby

By Elsie McCormick

APRIL 17th.—Family came down late to breakfast on account of party. Mama told papa he should have known enough to return his partner's lead on hearts in the last rubber.

"I didn't realise I'd borrowed it from her," said papa, "It's too late to return it now unless I do it by chit. Besides that will even us up a little. Her husband took $100 from me two months ago and hasn't returned it yet."

Mama didn't say anything, but stirred coffee hard.

"Anyway," said papa after a moment, "I don't go through a whole hand with my mind in a millinery shop and then come up for air to ask what's trumps."

"Who does that?" asked mama sweetly.

"I read somewhere that the late Empress-Dowager did," said papa, looking interestedly at toast.

No more conversation during breakfast.

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APRIL 17th—(later). — Company came in afternoon. Expected trouble when I heard mama tell amah to put on my filet lace dress, as I was to be brought downstairs for awhile. Tried to crawl behind linen in closet, but amah found me and hauled me out. Hate company. First fat woman kissed me and said I was a "diddle, diddle dumpkins." Then thin woman kissed me and said I was a "witchy-kitchy sweetheart." Then a bald-headed man kissed me and said I was a regular little Jess Willard.

"He's such a fine baby it's easy to see he has a mother's personal care," said one lady.

"He surely has," said mama, looking pleased.

Wonder if amah is a mother.

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APRIL 17.—(still later).—Company finally drifted into next room to have tea and forgot me. Had a pleasant time playing with coal in brass hod and listening to conversation. Heard bald-headed man remark that he had a headache this afternoon, as he had taken several grains of quinine and it always made him dizzy. Surprised to hear this, as it was not quinine I noticed when he kissed me. He also said that he always takes a great deal of medicine in the East, as the drinking water doesn't agree with him.

"How did you happen to find out?" asked papa politely.

Mama kicked papa under table and started sudden conversation about expedition into Thibet.

"It must be terribly thrilling to be among wild people and wild animals," said fat lady.

"Oh, I don't know," answered papa, "You can see enough wild people here in Shanghai, and if you're pining for wild animals, just wait until the mosquito season opens."

"I think it must be very exciting," said mama, giving papa unpleasant look. "Sometimes I wish I had married an explorer."

"You have," said papa, reaching for cookie, "I'm just about to apply for a medal from the Royal Geographical Society. Yesterday, alone and unassisted, I found three addresses on Dixwell Road."

Thin lady said she heard that in Thibet they made statues of butter and kept them for as long as a year.

"Now I know, where some of the dairies in Shanghai get their supply," said papa.

Went to sleep leaning against coal hod. When I woke up, company had left to go to concert and mama was telling papa that he was hopelessly low-brow.

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APRIL 17.—Bertie expected for dinner today. Auntie very excited. Bought some long-stemmed flowers and put them in vases on either side of the grate. Also spent hour before glass trying hair new way. I was downstairs when Bertie came and heard him remark that he was looking forward to going on a paper-hunt.

"It's about time," said papa, who had come in from office, "I go on one six days a week, trying to pick up paper with some government printing on it. It's a great sport."

Bertie said that he was thinking of giving up his present place to become a broker.

"Would you ride around town in one of those dear little traps?" asked Auntie, clasping her hands, "I think they're too sweet for words."

"Yes," said papa, "They're a great sight. Every morning the brokers stage a Ben Hur chariot race on the Bund, most of them standing up in the pose of an ancient Roman with short petticoats and a filet around his brow. Every time exchange drops a ha'penny, the mafoo hits the horse, and when it drops a penny, he runs over a ricsha coolie."

Didn't hear any more, as was busy pulling heads off long-stemmed flowers which flowerman had fastened on with pins.

(The next instalment of the baby's diary will be printed in THE CHINA PRESS Thursday morning.)

COAL CONSUMPTION IN BRITAIN RESTRICTED AS MINE STRIKE CONTINUES

Fifty Percent Of Normal Requirements Permitted "Only In Exceptional Cases;" Train Service To Be Further Reduced

MANY STRIKERS EAGER TO QUIT

Radicals Keep Walkout Going Over Protests Of Moderates, Who See Only Defeat In Protracted Struggle—Defense Measures Strengthened

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 17.—Reports from the coalfields, where distress is growing owing to the exhaustion of the strike funds, indicate that the miners are staggered and angered by the decision of their partners in the Triple Alliance. The more moderate men are inclined to negotiate for a wage settlement on a district basis, and many, it is said, are anxious to resume work immediately, but the extremists are urging a national appeal to the workers to join the strike and that steps be taken to prevent even the officials from pumping the pits. Meanwhile military and other emergency arrangements, costing £250,000 daily, continue.

The Board of Trade announces drastic restrictions in the use of fuel, light and electrical power. The cancellation of many main-line trains on Monday has been notified. Owing to the coal shortage, long queues, of people are to be seen in London, waiting for permits to purchase.

Later. The Government is further restricting the consumption of coal. Up to the present the important industries have been allowed fifty percent of their normal supplies, but henceforth this can be permitted only in exceptional circumstances. Heat, light and power undertakings have received peremptory instructions to reduce their supplies. The train services will be further reduced tomorrow.

London, April 16.—The miners' delegate conference to consider the future policy of the Federation, in view of the decision of the railwaymen and transport-workers not to strike, has been fixed for April 22. In the meantime, there will be no resumption of coal-mining.

DEMAND WAGE SYSTEM

The miners want, according to Mr. Frank Hodges, Secretary of the Miners' Federation, a permanent wages system operating nationally and uniformly so as to cover discrepancies between productive and unproductive coal-fields. Consequently, they demand a national board to apportion wages and a national pool, by which the profits of the richer miners would assist the poorer ones.

London, April 16.—"Yesterday saw the heaviest defeat that has befallen the Labor movement within the memory of man." In these words, the Daily Herald, the official Labor organ, today sums up the result of the railwaymen's and transport-workers' refusal at the eleventh hour to support the miners by permitting a general strike.

The events of Thursday and Friday—the almost accidental discussion of certain members of the House of Commons with the coal-owners and workers, the declaration of Mr. Hodges, the miners' leader, that they were willing to consider a provisional settlement on the wages question, the midnight interview with the Premier and his invitation to a fresh conference, the failure of the miners to appear, and the final breakaway of the allied unions on this ground—all this must not be taken as representing the whole inner truth of the situation.

The Daily Herald itself admits today that the root cause of defeat was the lack of solidarity of the whole movement in organisation, understanding and sympathy. It is beyond question that the leaders of the railwaymen and transport-workers were rightly uncertain as to the response of the rank and file to a strike summons.

RELUCTANT TO STRIKE

Reports from all parts of the country showed a growing reluctance to embark in a disastrous struggle for what were regarded as political and not strictly economic ends. The elaborate preparations of the Government to maintain transport services and food supplies by volunteers had been largely supported by the working class many of whom frankly looked forward to transferring their services during the strike from the unions to the State. There was no enthusiasm anywhere for anything like a revolution.

Except in one or two districts of Scotland there was complete orderliness, and general depression at the prospect of involuntary unemployment.

With this temper prevailing, the strike must, in any case have been half-heartened and unsuccessful, resulting in internal schisms between the railwaymen's and other unions. As things turned out, these unions retain their individual solidarity, but the Triple Alliance is shattered for the time being beyond hope of reconstruction.

The general conclusion, as on previous occasions, is that the communist element, though exceedingly vocal, represents an infinitesimal minority of the British workers, the great majority of whom are law-abiding citizens, whose voices are not heard in the deliberations of their unions but whose weight is irresistibly felt in such a crisis as the one just past.

Later.—No attempt to heal the breach between the miners and their colleagues of the Triple Alliance has been made today. Each has taken decisions without consulting the others.

The Miners' Executive has decided, pending the delegate conference on April 22, to return home, where, in the words of its official statement, it will discuss the whole of the facts with its own district members, preparatory to returning to London to draw up a report for submission to Friday's gathering.

The Railwaymen's and transport-workers' executives also met and subsequently issued a statement in which they state that the cancellation of the strike was due to the lack of solidarity, which manifested itself yesterday morning, and express regret at the necessity of the step.

The Westminister Gazette states that the Miners' Executive rejected Mr. Lloyd George's invitation for a conference with the coal-owners yesterday morning by a majority of one, Mr. Hodges thereupon tendered his resignation, but this was not accepted.

SIXTY HOUSES AND SHOPS DESTROYED IN POOTUNG FIRE

Section Of Chinese City Swept By Blaze Seen For Miles; Pett's Men Aid

Fire which destroyed about sixty shops and houses burned out another section of the Lan I Doo village, Pootung, last night, occasioning alarm for a time about the Butterfield and Swire oil storage sheds.

The blaze broke out at about 11:30 o'clock and spread with great rapidity, throwing an angry looking glare against the sky, which could be seen all over the Settlement. Chief Officer Pett took a detachment of men and hurried to the scene with the Fire Float and stood by to protect the oil sheds, meanwhile lending his assistance to the Pootung bridge, which was attacking the outbreak from two sides.

The fire worked along the principal street in the section affected, destroying everything on either side for a distance of nearly 300 yards and working back into the next tier of buildings in several places.

The flames were brought under control shortly after 1 a.m. and the local Brigade returned to this side of the river at 2 a.m.

Greeks Hold Up Turkish Vessel

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 18.—The Daily Telegraph's Paris correspondent states that a Japanese steamship which was conveying a thousand Turkish prisoners from Siberia to Constantinople was stopped by a Greek torpedo-boat and detained at Mitylene.

The Japanese Government has lodged a vigorous protest, urging that as Greece is not at war with the regular Turkish Government, she is not entitled to detain a ship bound for Constantinople.

CONSERVANCY IN VALUABLE REPORT ON HANGCHOW BAY

Compilation Of Data Is Part Of Shanghai Harbor Plan

Another step toward the solution of Shanghai's harbor problem is recorded with the publication by the Whangpoo Conservancy Board of its "Report on the Hydrology of the Hangchow Bay and the Chien Tang Estuary," giving important data resultant of surveys and studies undertaken to provide the necessary basis for eventual plans for a "port de vitesse" on the Bay—one of the three alternative schemes proposed for Shanghai's harbor improvement.

In the introduction to the report Mr. H. von Heidenstam, Engineer-in-Chief, states that while all the data originally hoped for could not be secured within the time and resources allowed, the records constitute a valuable preliminary report.

"In regard to eventual harbor sites in Hangchow Bay," he says, "some of the most important data have now been authoritatively ascertained, viz., the navigational depths of the Bay and the approaches thereto; the geographical position of and the depths off the northern shore, and the tidal currents in the Bay."

The report, which should be of great interest to engineers and shipping men, contains a great many charts and plates as well as maps and photographs and gives tables of statistics concerning the tides, water depths and levels, rainfall, currents, silting, etc. A portion of the record is devoted to the Hangchow Bore, concerning which much interesting information is given. There is also considerable historical data on the Hangchow Bay and its surroundings.

The work of coastlining, coast sounding, mapping along the northern coast and the Pootung peninsula and collection of hydrographic information has been done by the Board's department for the harbor investigation, Mr. E. C. Stocker, under direction of Mr. von Heidenstam, having charge of the work in detail and drafting a large part of the report. For the charting of the Bay an arrangement was made with the Customs Marine Department, but unfortunately the whole area planned to be sounded was not completed owing to the Customs cruisers and staff being needed elsewhere for Customs work.

The Engineer-in-Chief makes acknowledgment for assistance in compiling the report to the staff, the Inspector General and Coast Inspector of the Customs, the Chekiang Conservancy Bureau, Directors of Siccawei Observatory, directors of the libraries of the Government Institute of Technology and the Chekiang Library and to Mr. J. C. Molony District Engineer of the Shanghai-Hangchow-Ningpo Railway.

U. S. Delegate To Resume Place On Reparation Body

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 17.—In the lull in the industrial situation attention turns to the threat on an international crisis with the approach of May 1st, the latest date for Germany's meeting of her financial obligations. The Berlin and Paris governments are both fully occupied with the problem and the former is anxiously endeavouring to forestall further sanctions.

The German press speaks of fresh proposals which will be submitted in a few days through intermediary neutral power, including the following-up of the original suggestion that Germany assume responsibility for the Allied debts in America.

The French Government is determined to leave nothing to chance and has adopted the reports of M Loucheur, the Minister of Reconstruction, containing economic penalties, and Marshal Foch, advocating the calling up of the 1918 and 1919 classes and the extension of the Allied occupation beyond the Ruhr over a portion of the Westphalian industrial area.

Paris, April 15 (delayed).—An Inter-Allied conference with regard to reparations will possibly be held in Paris early next month. It is hoped that Mr. Lloyd George will be able to participate.

Paris, April 16.—According to the New York correspondent of the "Matin," it is highly probable that President Harding will shortly instruct Mr. Boyden to resume his seat on the Reparations Commission, and that Mr. Hugh Wallace will again participate in the Council of Ambassadors.

London, April 16.—The Board of Trade has issued an order to the effect that articles imported into the United Kingdom from Germany before May 15 will be exempted from the provisions of the German Reparation Recovery Act, imposing a tax of 50 percent, if it is proved that they were imported in pursuance of a contract made prior to March 8, and left the place from which they were consigned to the United Kingdom prior to April 3.

Tokio 'Deliberating' Reply To Yap Note

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, April 15 (delayed).—Acknowledging receipt of the American note regarding the Island of Yap, M. Briand has written the American Ambassador stating that a reply will follow in due course after an exchange of views has taken place between France, Great Britain, Japan and Italy.

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, April 16.—While the press is busy conjecturing the contents of the Japanese reply to the American Note on the subject of Yap, prudence forbids any definite pronouncement for the present, except to say that the Government is carefully deliberating this very important question, according to an authoritative official statement.

In order to clear up any existing misunderstandings, the notes and memoranda which have been exchanged between the Japanese and American Governments up to the present will be published very shortly. The consent of the American Government to such publication has been obtained.

Premier Massey Sees Another War

(*Reuter's Service*)

Auckland (N.Z.) April 18.—Referring to the business of the forthcoming conference of imperial Prime Ministers, the Prime Minister Mr. Massey, said that one of the most important matters to be discussed would be naval defence, especially in the Pacific. He was sure, he said, that the Empire would go through another war, and it should be prepared. He would not commit the country to heavy expense if it could be avoided, but the time was approaching when New Zealand must assist in the upkeep of the imperial navy and the Government's policy should be to provide its full share in the maintenance of it.

Sermon Picture 'Stream Of Life' For April 26th

The film, "The Stream of Life," portraying human life, in its every-day living, with its inevitable sermon, is open for booking at Moutries, for a one night showing—April 26, at the Olympic. All seats will be reserved—it will be necessary to book a place to insure a view of the famous picture.

"The Stream of Life," is both an elaborate production and a simple picture. It presents the old story of the country youth and ambition. The old Homestead, the country school, the kindly old parson feature the beginning. The making good in the city, marriage, riches and finally in old age, the finding of consolation, through the visitation of adversity.

The story is so true to life, so simple and so well told, that the picture has had a wonderful success. It was shown here Saturday at the Y.M.C.A. at a private performance, so that the press might write of it advisedly.

The film has had the widespread endorsement of the clergy of all denominations in America. It is classed simply as a sermon.

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Mixed Court Jottings

A Russian named Firbach appeared on a summons in the Mixed Court yesterday when he was charged with having extorted certain monies deposited in the Hongkong and Shanghai, International and Russo-Asiatic Banks from one R. P. Maltz at Tsingtao. Mr. J. Em. Lemiere, appearing to prosecute, asked a remand, which was granted by Assessor Hutchison and Magistrate Li and the case will be heard by Assessor Ivanoff.

M. Grimple, Russian, proprietor of the Portland House, 13 Nanzing Road, was fined $5 yesterday for selling alcoholic liquors without license. Detective Sergeant Ashley prosecuted the case, stating that following the receipt of complaints from the St. Luke's Hospital he visited the place and had no trouble in buying a drink. The defendant said that he was not present in the establishment when the liquor was sold and that his brother, who made the sale, did not know the regulations.

A Chinese who falsely reported to the police Saturday night that an armed robbery was taking place at 18 Thibet Road was sentenced to a year's imprisonment yesterday. The accused, who is an old offender, told the Court that he had been instructed to make the report by the proprietor of the establishment—a brothel. It is stated that earlier in the evening a guest lost a purse containing over $300 and it is thought the report may have been turned in to frighten the loser out of making too persistent demand for its recovery. The brothelkeeper denied the testimony of the accused.

A coolie was charged yesterday with having stolen a gold watch and chain from Mr. A. H. Hansen. The case was remanded for further investigation.

The Banvard Co.

This popular company last night repeated "Coming Down" which has proved to be one of its favorite productions. The house, we are sorry to report, was not so large as it ought to have been—this beging due to the opening of the Bandman Company. Tonight, Harem Belles is the offering.

Several local amateurs will join up with the Banvard's full company tomorrow night in the benefit to be given to Mr. Harry Neville, formerly of the Denniston company.

Mrs. W. E. O'Hara, (Miss Mae de Souza), will sing; Miss Helene Duval, who appeared at the Washington ball on February 22 has just returned from a tour of Manila, Hongkong and Canton and has volunteered to appear. Miss Duval and Mr. Neville were in the same company for one year at the Maxine Elliott theater in New York under the Schubert management. Miss Duval will sing "One Fine Day" from Madame Butterfly, "Comin' Thro' the Rye," and others. She will be accompanied by her manager Mr. Fred Quintrell, one of New York's best musical directors.

Ex-Kaiserin's Body Sent To Potsdam

(*Reuter's Service*)

Doorn, April 18.—Late last night motor-cars drew up outside the ex-Kaiser's residence. The body of the ex-Kaiserin was placed in one and the ex-Kaiser entered another. The cortege then proceeded in darkness to the Maarn railway-station where the ex-Crown Prince was present in the uniform of the Red Hussars, also the Duchess of Brunswick, in deep mourning.

After a short funeral service, the body was placed on a special train for Postdam whither it was accompanied by the younger sons and several former members of the German court, while the ex-Kaiser and the others returned to Doorn.

Amendment Of Arms Act Asked

(*U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter*)

Washington, April 17.—The State Department requests that the Act of 1912, prohibiting the shipment of arms to American countries, shall be amended. The Foreign Relations Committee of the Senate has considered the request, which is designed primarily to stop the shipment of munitions to China, and the early enactment of the amendment is proposed. Some foreign Powers have requested the United States to join in the effort to prevent the shipments of munitions to all countries were revolutions are in progress.

JAP PRINCE IN EGYPT

(*Reuter's Service*)

Suez, April 16.—The Crown Prince of Japan left for Port Said this morning. He came ashore yesterday and visited several places of interest, and was evidently pleased with his first impression of Egypt.

Port Said, April 17.—The warships Kashima and Katori, arrived here today, with the Crown Prince of Japan, who was welcomed on board by local authorities, notable persons and Japanese residents in Egypt. His Imperial Highness will proceed to Cairo on Monday by special train.

Pilferage Claims High In Britain

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 18.—An interim report of the committee of the Chamber of Shipping on the pilferage of goods in transit emphasises the fact that the average claims paid by seven different steamship companies engaged in the same trade ranged from twenty-one to sixty-two pence per ton of cargo.

It says there is evidence that the divergence is mainly due to the varying practices aboard with regard to the tallying and watching of goods and recommends the efficient control and supervision of loading or, discharging, by ships officers or other members of a ship's company, and also a stricter scrutiny of persons and conveyances entering and leaving dock areas and a more exacting system of goods passes for merchandise from docks.

GEN. OI HONORED

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, April 18.—Among other military and naval war honors published today, it is announced that Baron Uehra, Chief of the General Staff, receives the title of Viscount, while that of Baron has been conferred on General Oi, until recently Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese forces in Siberia.

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CHICAGO BANKER ROUTS ROBBERS, KILLS 1, CATCHES 2

Herded Into Vault, Cashier Gets Out And Uses Gun With Good Effect

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

Chicago, April 16.—S. B. Witowski, cashier of the State Bank at its branch in the suburb of Cicero, was successful in defeating an attempt on the bank by six automobile bandits. He killed one robber, wounded two and captured two. Only the driver of the car escaped.

The bandits headed Witowski and ten other members of the bank staff into the Vault, while two of the gang kept guard and three were occupied in taking forty thousand dollars from the cashier's desk. Witowski pushed open the door of the vault and fired, hitting two of the robbers. Two others were captured in the street, after a running chase of two blocks.

Severe Fighting In Afghanistan

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, April 16.—Severe fighting is reported from the Wana and Mahsud areas, following upon the reappearance of the notorious Afghan adventurer, Abdul Razak, who organised the hostile Waziris and Mahsuds. Most of the fighting was at Boghakot, which was captured on the 6th by the 41st Dogras, who, however, were subsequently driven back. The enemy casualties amounted to 19 killed and 38 wounded, while ours were 8 killed and 41 wounded.

Boghakot was re-occupied on the 8th.

There was further sharp fighting on the 10th, when 300 Mahsuds attacked a company of the 20th Punjabis, whose losses totalled 26 killed and 24 wounded, one British officer being included in the number killed.

Fresh British operations have been commenced.

Armed Robbers Make Two Raids During Week-End

Armed robbers got away with $467 in money and $895 worth of jewelry in a raid on a Cantonese cake shop at 648 Honan Road Sunday night. Five men committed the robbery, one armed with a revolver and another with a knife. They drove the inmates into a rear room, bound their hands and ransacked the place after locking the front door.

Another armed robbery occurred Saturday night in a small general store at 304 Dalny Road, the loot amounting to $68 in money and jewelry. A man entered the shop and presented a $5 note to be changed. While the shopkeeper was getting the change four other men entered, one producing a pistol and keeping the inmates intimidated while the others scooped out the contents of the cash drawer and stripped a woman of her earrings, rings and hair ornaments. The robbers fired one shot as they were leaving, but noon was injured.

Chapei Considering A Volunteer Corps

Six of the Chapei street unions met Saturday to discuss the formation of a volunteer corps for the protection of the district. Some twenty odd organisations were represented at the meeting and it was announced that letters concerning the project were being sent to the Chinese General and the Nanton Chambers of Commerce and that a set of regulations to govern the corps were being drawn up. There is to be another meeting next Saturday.

Shanghai College Notes

The past week has seen a series of farewell meetings of various sorts, all held in honor of President White, and also of Doctor and Mrs. Webster, who are shortly leaving for America. Dr. White expects to be away for only a short time, as he goes on a flying visit in order to attend an important meeting of the Board of Trustees of the College to be held in New York. The Websters are going on a forced furlough on account of Doctor Webster's poor health, as he has not been able to recover his strength since his severe attack of cholera last September.

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On Thursday evening the American Community Church Quartet, consisting of Miss Olive, Mrs. Tillson, Mr. Perry and Mr. James, came to the college at the request of Professor Anderson, and gave a splendid musical entertainment. Mr. Tewksbury presided at the piano, and horrible to be told, he also succeeded in making fine music on a bicycle pump! These good people very generously contributed their time and efforts in order to help the College Glee Club raise some money for their proposed tour to Hangchow and other places. The students showed their appreciation by paying for admission, quite to the capacity of the chapel, as well as by their enthusiastic calls for encores.

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On Friday evening the American ladies of the campus invited all the professors and teachers, both foreign and Chinese, to an elaborate dinner in the college gymnasium. Doctor Dealey, head of the department of Sociology in Brown University, and temporarily at Shanghai College, acted as toastmaster.

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On Saturday evening the students got up a celebration at which an interesting program of music, speeches, movies, cakes, candies, etc., was gone through with. Among the most noteworthy parts of the program was the splendid exhibition of club swinging by Mr. Pan Shan Mei, of the Junior class, using flaming torches instead of Indian clubs. The co-eds were ably represented on the program by Miss Wu Ming-ying of the Sophomore class, who spoke in an optimistic way of the hope attending the leaving of both Dr. White and the Webster's.

President White, when called upon, made a fitting response to the speeches and exercises of the occasion. "As I go to America," he said, "people will ask me about China, even before I leave the boat. There is no country in the world that the American people are so interested in as China. They want to know whether China is making progress, and what hope there is for a stable government. They will ask: What hope is there that China will take her rightful place in the world as a great nation? And my answer will be: China's hope is in her students!"

Referring to a photograph of the student body that had just been taken, Dr. White said he would show that picture to the American people who wanted to know about China.

Doctor Webster also thanked the students for their expressions of love and interest. He referred to the need of education in China, and commended the work of teaching to the students. He said he was going to tell the American people the good points about Chinese students and people. He spoke of his hope of gaining renewed physical strength so that he might return soon to this country.

IRISH PROCLAMATION

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 18.—General Sir Nevil Macready, Commander-in-Chief in Ireland, has issued a proclamation, forbidding the civil courts in the martial-law area in Ireland to hear claims for damages or injury brought against the Crown forces, unless special sanction is given.

The Bandman Co.

Mr. Maurice Bandman is a humorist if nothing else. He has not visited us for years, and last night a very cordial reception was given to his company by a "standing room" only house, and taking the show, all in all, the verdict must be, that he and his show deserved it.

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But he is a humorist. He made up his mind to give us a revue to start off with. I fancy that he has many better things in his repertorial kit-bag. And he called the revue—or somebody else did, "Bran Pie." Now a bran pie is, as everyone knows, one of those funny little tubs that contain any amount of sawdust, but here and there, if you are lucky, you get a prize. If you are very lucky, you get something that is really worth keeping, or at any rate remembering.

Last night there was any amount of sawdust about the "Bran Pie" served up to us; but we all got one prize worth keeping and remembering, I refer to Miss Madeline Rossiter. She is a capable pianist. She is a delightful singer. She is an exquisite dancer. In fact she is a fine, all round artiste, and one whom we will welcome whenever she appears on the stage. Certainly Miss Rossiter is the "number one" player that Maurice Bandman has brought out this time to the Far East. Amidst the sawdust, she pushed her way out to the delight of everyone present.

It would not be quite fair to criticise the Bandman Company on its opening show. Two of the foremost players, Dan Mansfield and Leyland Hodgson, were both absent, the former being unable to get his steamship connection, and the latter being laid up in hospital.

But there is one impression that a lot of us took away. The show is very, very, English. It is so English that at times you just felt that you were in Leicester Square. And that is a fine place isn't it? Lots of us would like to be somewhere near Leicester Square and therefore we must thank Maurice Bandman, for bringing it very near to us.

Eric Master has any amount of good stuff in him. He was priceless in the "Disorderly Dip," and he was splendidly supported by Jack Crichton. These two players carried most of the masculine honors on their capable shoulders.

The show included any amount of dancing; plenty of frocks as scanty as they were pretty; a chorus of dainty girls; songs old and new but none the less enjoyable; and sparkling incidental music. Quite a feature of the performance was the very harmonious settings to all the scenes.

But "Bran Pie" is only the first of Bandman's good things. And I fancy that with "Oh Joy" tomorrow, and the wonderful success "Buzz Buzz" on Thursday, that the players will find themselves high in public favor before the end of the week.

—DOMINO.

Here To Investigate Students' Arrest

Mr. Chang Yi-pang, formerly Vice-Minister of Justice, arrived in Shanghai Sunday, the purpose of his mission, it is stated, being the investigation of the case of the nine Fokienese students arrested here some time ago on charges of being connected with the murder of two Foochow merchants who were killed last year during the students' demonstrations. It will be remembered that Mr. Chang came to Shanghai two years ago as the representative of the Peking Government to supervise the burning of the opium stock purchased by the Chinese Government from the Shanghai Opium Combine.

British Women's Association

Fifty members of the British Women's Association attended a meeting for the organisation of a Literary Section, held yesterday at 18 the Bund. The following officers were unanimously elected: chairman, Mrs. E. F. Hodges; honorary secretary, Mrs. Cecil Maguire; honorary treasurer, Miss Samson; executive officer, Miss J. Patterson; committee members, Mrs. S. Couling, Miss Hyland, Mrs. Norman Leslie, Mrs. E. M. Gull, Mrs. E. C. Pearce, and Mrs. Lipson Ward.

In order to choose a study topic for the year beginning next fall, each member of the section is asked to send one suggestion to Mrs. Maguire, 413 Avenue Joffre, before April twenty-fifth. These topics will be listed and submitted to the section to be discussed and voted upon at a meeting scheduled for April twenty-eighth. Besides following a course of study, the section plans to invite prominent visitors to Shanghai to address it.

A proposal to inaugurate a Literary Section Book Exchange, whereby members may list books which they would like to borrow and those which they are prepared to lend was enthusiastically received. The section also plans to supply the lounge room of the Association with current literature. Yearly dues were fixed at one dollar.

Mrs. E. M. Gull presided as temporary chairman, pending the election of officers.

American Woman's Club

An important and interesting meeting of the American Woman's Club is scheduled for this afternoon at the Carlton Cafe. The program, which is in charge of the Music Department, will consist of a study of American composers, illustrated by vocal and instrumental numbers. Mrs. C. T. Owens will give a brief talk on her wartime experiences in France. Owing to the length of the program and to the fact that several important matters of business are to come before the meeting, tea will not be served after 4:30 o'clock.

MOTHERS' DEPARTMENT

The development of religion in the life of a child is the general topic to be discussed at a meeting of the Mothers' Department, American Woman's Club, to be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 in the Carlton Cafe. Mrs. L. J. Birney will read a paper on "The Need of the Development of the Moral and Religious Life," after which Mrs. M. Martin will review Hodges' "The Training of Children in Religion." Members of the club and their friends are invited to attend.

U.S. TARIFF BILL

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 18.—The Times learns from Washington that the House of Representatives has passed the Emergency Tariff Bill.

ITALIAN RADICALS

(Reuter's Service)

New York, April 18.—A dispatch from Rome states that grave incidents have occurred in Northern Italy, where the extreme Nationalists and Socialists have clashed in a number of cities during the course of a bitter electoral campaign. Several lives, it is reported, were lost.

Garner, Quelch Case Against P. S. Crawley Continued 30 Days

A motion for one month's continuance and for permission to file an amended answer to a petition which had been filed by the firm of Garner Quelch and Company against Mr. P. S. Crawley, asking an accounting for lots of wines and liquors shipped to the latter at Harbin, was granted yesterday by Judge C. S. Lobingier in the United States court for China.

Mr. Crawley, who was in Harbin at the time of the service of notice of the claim, it was learned yesterday was without the services of an American lawyer. He framed his own answer to the petition. He maintained that the wines were of poor quality, and in unsaleable condition when received at Harbin. His document, lawyers said yesterday, was very creditably done, with one exception. He failed to ask that the petition be disallowed or make any other claim or request in support of his answer. This point is to be covered in the amendment.

Since the forwarding of his answer Mr. Crawley has left for California, because of sickness in his family, Mr. Paul M. Linebarger, who is temporarily acting in his behalf explained. The motion for continuance was allowed so that Mr. Crawley might be communicated with.

GOMPERS MARRIED

(U. S. Navy Radio through Reuter)

New York, April 18.—Mr. Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, who is a septuagenarian and a widower, was married today to an English woman, Mrs. Gertrude Neuscheler, who has long been associated with Mr. Gompers in his work. The bride's age is thirty-eight.

Washington, April 17.—In a letter replying to an enquiry from Mr. Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor, Mr. Hughes, Secretary of State, says that it is unquestionably desirable that commercial relations on an extensive scale should be established between the United States and Russia. The Government hopes that there may be adjustments in Russia, enabling her to resume her proper place in the economic life of the world.

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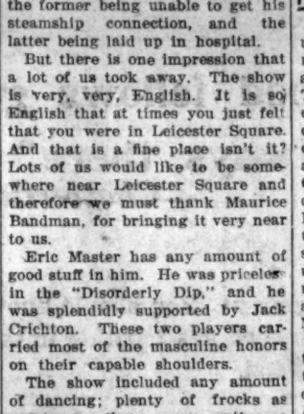

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A motion was offered in the United States Court for China yesterday by Mr. H. D. Rodger, for the defendants in the pending action Ring Mow-zu, et al, plaintiffs, versus Wilkins Brothers, defendants, in which it was asked that an order be issued empowering the defendant to contract for and to sell and to settle exchange on a sum of G. $280,000, now held pending one suit as yet unheard, and an appeal to recent judgment in still another suit between the same principals.

The sum which it is asked be released was, according to Mr. Rodger, purchased by Wilkins Brothers acting as a principal. It was borrowed on security of the plaintiffs, with Wilkins Brothers acting as mere agents according to the plaintiffs, represented by Mr. R. J. Bryan.

Mr. Rodger gave as grounds for his motion that the value of Gold had advanced since the purchase; that the fluctuation of previous metals was wide; that, the sum if tied up until a judgment is given, might depreciate due to poor exchange and that his client has legal right to the handling of the money pending such judgment.

The plaintiffs' objection was that there was no immediate danger of poor exchange settlements; that the gold was worth much more today than at the time of contract; the contract stipulated the rate at which exchange should be fixed; a settlement at the present rate would be disastrous for the plaintiff; that a previous stipulation estopped a motion such as asked for and that the object of the motion was nothing more or less than a speculation in exchange.

Mr. Bryan offered that if the G.$280,000 was returned to the American Express Company, one of the plaintiffs, from whom it was bought, the difference between that sum and the securities valued at G. $348,000 protecting the loan might be sold, and deposited with the American Express Company pending final determination of the action.

Judgment was reserved.

MUTT & JEFF — As An Inventor Jeff Finds He Has A Competitor — By Bud Fisher

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Shanghai May Be French Line Terminus

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 18.—The report on a bill concerning steamer services to the Far East and other ports which was recently tabled in the Chamber shows that the lines between Marseilles, Shanghai and Yokohama and between Marseilles and Haiphong will be maintained at least provisionally but steamers of the former service will no longer call at Aden.

Besides the old calls, they will in the future make a fixed call at Penang and will possibly call at Foochow, while for boats of the line operating between Marseilles and Haiphong the call at Singapore will become "facultative."

Ultimately the two lines may be united, with their terminus as Shanghai and a branch service from Shanghai to Yokohama.

Asks Reorganisation Of French Colonies

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Paris, April 14 (Delayed).—M. Albert Sarraut, Minister of the Colonies, and formerly Governor of French Indo-China, has submitted to the Senate a bill providing for the complete reorganisation of the French Colonial Empire from the economic point of view. Each Colony will be dealt with according to its own particular needs. Transportation by rail and water will be developed in every way, and the welfare of the native peoples will be provided for. The execution of this vast program will be spread over 15 years.

CANTON-HANKOW R. R.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, April 18.—According to the Canton Times, the management of the Canton-Hankow Railway propose to finance the completion of the railway by floating a loan of twenty million dollars.

JAP M.P.'s TO SAIL SOON

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 16.—The members of the Japanese Parliament who are shortly to tour America will sail aboard the Shinyo Maru on May 5.

News Brevities

Dr. Sam Bell Wakefield, formerly of the United States Department of Emigration, who has been for some time past chief medical officer of the sanitation squads of the United International Famine Relief Committee, has been appointed Field Director of the Sanitation Division. Dr. Wakefield's work will be under Dr. Charles W. Young, who was co-Director with Dr. S. H. Chuan, Director of the Army Medical College, Dr. Chuan's departure for Belgium has created the vacancy to which Dr. Wakefield has been appointed.

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A public cross examination of Former Manager A. P. Simoes, of the Great Eastern Syndicate Ltd., in liquidation was begun in the British Supreme Court before Judge Skinner Turner yesterday. Mr. Ward, for the liquidator, explained that the company had lost money ever since its organisation; that it had been decided to form a larger company, to launch out into heavy business, and to limit their liability. The whole of the syndicate's capital had been lost. The company's liabilities were given as $6,555 with a reserve account of $3,031 which had disappeared in 1918 through "utilisation," and a debt of Tls. 2,000 to Mr. Simoes. The liabilities exceeded the assets by $4,188. The hearing was not finished when adjournment was ordered.

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The pupils of St. Joseph's Institution, 28 Rue Montauban, will present an operetta on Saturday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock for the benefit of the famine sufferers. Admission tickets are on sale at the school for one dollar.

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The St. Joseph's Catholic Association will hold a tea concert on Saturday, April 30 from 4-6 p.m. at the rooms of the Association, 13 Avenue Edward VII. Among those who are to assist are Mesdames Fano, Worcester, Berthet, Miss Storer and Messrs. Begdon and Bigel. Tickets must be ordered from the Secretary in advance.

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The chauffeur of a motor lorry was arrested on Burkill Road Saturday for failing to obey traffic signals. The policeman took the driver away and after he had gone a coolie who was assigned to the truck tried to move the vehicle to the side of the road. The machine got out of his control and plowed over the curb and into a tailor shop at the Northeast corner of Burkill and Park Roads, smashing in the entire front of the establishment and flattening out a couple of sewing machines. The coolie was arrested and charged with driving a motor vehicle without a permit and the policeman was reported for having taken the chauffeur away before the truck was moved out of the way.

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Among the passengers who left for Hankow on the Kiangwah yesterday were Mrs. L. H. Webb, Mr. L. K. Hall, Mr. C. R. Scott, Mr. E. M. Robinson and Mr. J. C. Clarke.

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Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Robertson and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bolton arrived by the Hsin Peking from Ningpo Sunday. Mr. J. A. T. Thomas, Mr. M. P. Walker and Mr. W. O. Keats arrived from Hankow by the Loongwo.

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The Shanghai Philatelic Society will hold its regular fortn'ghtly meeting tomorrow at 5 p.m. at the Society's rooms, 5 Museum Road.

Mr. S. M. Doong will give an illustrated lecture on the "City of Rome" at the Y.M.C.A. tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

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The boy members of the Y.M.C.A. will take an excursion to Nanziang on Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock.

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The Vimy commercial machine used for passenger flights over Peking was damaged on Wednesday when the storm blew down the hanger in which it was kept. The service is therefore suspended.

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Ten thousand ricsha coolies in Tientsin have organised for the purpose of refusing to pay the increased rate of license fee imposed by the Tientsin police. A public meeting scheduled to take place was suppressed by the police.

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Prof. J. Q. Dealey of Brown University will speak on "Social Reform" before the World's Chinese Students' Federation on Saturday afternoon at 7 o'clock.

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Philip Sze, newly appointed by the Tsing Hua College as its director of the Chinese students in America, will leave for the United States shortly to assume his new duties.

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A preliminary discussion over the proposed Sino-German commercial treaty took place at the Cabinet meeting on Saturday. The pact is expected to be sanctioned.

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The annual meeting of the Union Club will be held at 1 Hankow Road this afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

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The Taiping Rubber Estates, Ltd., will hold its annual meeting tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock. The Repah Rubber and Tapioca Estates, Ltd., at 4:30 o'clock.

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Shareholders of Messrs. Hall and Holtz, Ltd., will hold their 29th ordinary meeting at 14 Nanking Road on Saturday, April 30 at 11 o'clock in the morning.

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The Shanghai Branch of the China Association will meet at the Shanghai Club on Tuesday, May 10, at 5:30 p.m.

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The 19th annual meeting of the shareholders of the China Import and Export Lumber Co., Ltd., will take place at 6 Kiukiang Road on Thursday, April 28 at 4 p.m.

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Dr. C. T. Wang was host to a dinner party held last night at the new Ningpo Association Building to Dr. Stanley G. Hornbeck, the noted writer. A number of prominent Chinese were also guests.

Obituary

SIR JOHN COWANS

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 16.—The death is announced of General Sir John Cowans, at Mentone, at the age of 59.

General Cowans was Quartermaster-General of the Forces at the War Office from 1912 to 1919, and a member of the Army Council from 1914 to 1919.

JOHN BARWISE

After an illness of three weeks, following an operation for appendicities, Mr. John Barwise, a prominent rugby football player, and member of Jardine, Matheson and Company's engineering department, died at the General Hospital Sunday. The funeral will be held at the Bubbling Well cemetery at 4:30 p.m. today.

Mr. Barwise leaves a widow and one small daughter. He had been with Jardine, Matheson and Company, for more than a year, prior to which he was with the International Export Company in Harbin. He was a keen sportsman, and was popular with sportsmen as well as in business circles.

ASTHMA INSTANTLY RELIEVED

A Noted Physician will prove this to sufferers in Shanghai.

The astonishing statement that Asthma can be relieved instantaneously, coming from so well known authority as Dr. R. Schiffmann, will be of interest to asthma sufferers. The experience of most Asthmatics has been that little, if any, relief has been afforded them by the methods heretofore employed, as well as the disease has been regarded as incurable. This noted physician has, however, after a life-long study of Asthma and kindred diseases, discovered a remedy which instantly relieves the severest cases of Asthma, Hay Fever and Bronchitis. So complete is Dr. Schiffmann's confidence in his remedy that he requests this paper to announce that today and tomorrow he offers a liberal sample box of "Schiffmann's Asthmador" free of charge, to all persons applying at A. S. Watson & Co., Ltd., 16 Nanking Road.

Dr. Schiffmann believes that an actual test will be the most convincing, and in fact the only way to overcome the natural prejudice of thousands of Asthmatics who have heretofore sought relief in vain. Persons residing in other localities, outside of this city, who desire to try this medicine, will be sent a free sample package per post, providing they send simply their name and full address (no other writing on a post card, within the next six days to Muller Phipps & Hodges (China), Ltd., 1B Jinkee Road, Shanghai.

TO INSPECT SALT WORKS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 18.—Viscount Mayeda and other members of the Provisional Financial and Economic Investigation Commission left this morning for Tsingtao, in order to investigate the salt-works, in connection with the development of Japan's salt enterprises.

OPIUM REGULATIONS

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 18.—The Government's new regulations for the control of opium in Kwangtung have been submitted to a subcommittee of the Privy Council, comprising six members, with Viscount Soga as chairman.

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SHANSI'S GOVERNOR MAKING EFFORT TO IMPROVE BREED OF PRESENT CHINA PONY

Progressive Official Importing Pedigreed Stock From America For Experiments On Extensive Ranch; Results May Be Seen On Race Tracks And Polo Fields

(BY PARI-MUTUEL)

It may not be a matter of common knowledge among the racing fraternity of Shanghai and other treaty ports that one of the most enterprising provincial Governors that has ever been in China is making a strenuous effort to improve what is generally called the China pony. This progressive individual, the present Governor of Shansi, has a very extensive provincial ranch, whither he has imported sheep, cattle and horses from America with the object of improving the breed of their local prototypes.

Very many years ago, it will be remembered by a few, Major Keylock was very keen on the working up of a government stock farm. For this purpose he collected a considerable amount of most valuable data, which he placed before his friend Tuan Fang, one of the most brilliant of all the Manchus and certainly one of the best Viceroys the Manchus ever gave to China.

Keen as he was for such progressive work, the fruition of Major Keylock's scheme did not consummate as the Nanking exchecquer, according to the Great Tuan, could not stand the racket.

PLANS RANCH NEAR PENGPU

The idea was to start a cattle ranch and stud farm on the limestone district in the region of Pengpu on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway. As far as bone production could be concerned there could have been no better place as the water was all that could be desired for the purpose. Much of it springing from the limonite or ferro-limestone bed. All the papers dealing with this suggested enterprise are extant today and the Chinese translations of them are in the archives in Peking for the use of any enterprising Government or official who has the energy to search them out and digest their valuable contents.

Perhaps the Governor of Shansi has seen these papers and being highly enlightened has made use of them in his Shansi enterprise. He is certainly working on the right lines for success. Although he has not yet reached the stage of "breeding race horses by the figure system," he has got his pedigreed stock and has established a regular studbook. Much can and will be done by this Governor and men like him in the direction of improvement in the pony of China proper. It would be a tall order to say that anything they can produce within the life time of living man from this stock in Shansi could possibly be an improvement on the Mongol Tartar pony.

MAY LACK STAMINA

The conditions of life of the pony or horse bred upon the stud principle are altogether too comfortable to produce that survival of the fittest, as typified by our little racing friend of the Northern lower slopes of the Kingan.

Remounts for the Shansi and perhaps the imperial Chinese armies will unquestionably be produced of a high class order and even horses or ponies for racing may be seen on the turf as a result of this official enterprise in Shansi. The stamina and that stout heart which goes with it, of the Mongol hair trunk, cannot and never will be there.

If used for racing, then this Shansi cross breed must carry light weight as compared with his Mongol cousin, simply on a question of stamina. If it has to be a case of light weight racing in China, then good-bye to that glorious amateurism, which is justly the pride of all those connected with racing in China and Hongkong.

However the enterprise is a very good thing for China, Shansi in particular, and the pony in general, whether he hail from Mongolia or any other province of China.

Some of these crossbred stallions will unquestionably filter in time into the other provinces, as well as on to the rolling plains of Mongolia. There they will leave their mark, where the struggle for life amongst their progeny will produce a stock from the survival of the fittest, thus doing away with any possibility of deterioration in stamina or weight carrying capacity, with every prospect of an increase in speed.

GOOD POLO PROPECTS

There will be no deficiency of bone in the new Shansi country bred and the bone will not lack for density. Most probably the barrel will fine and the animals tend to become more leggy, undoubtedly an advantage as a speed index but absolutely the opposite when speed is called for

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SAYS "BUGS" Baer:

DID LETTZGO WIN LOSE OR DRAW

A Question Which Has Never Been Satisfactorily Answered Or Asked

BY 'BUGS' BAER

Sports Editor: With mixed respect for you, I take exception to your claim that Gink Fowler was the champion of Roughtown. Why? Because Leetzgo Gallagher was the duke in Gink's time. Lettzgo lived at Scuddlebrush while Gink reclined in the luxurious riots of Roughtown. The town of Scuddlebrush was an outpost and the only entrance to Roughtown. Notice that. The only entrance. Lettzgo stood on the burning bridge and held off the toughest warriors while Gink slept on his downy divan of cinders and broken bottles. Gink got the credit, but Lettzgo was the man who smoothed out the wrinkles for him. They finally fought. Gink and Lettzgo. The belt was an undertaker's crepe. The next day the belt was flying on Lettzgo's doorknob. Sure proof that he had copped the honors. Give credit where credit is due. More than that. Give credit where credit is overdue.

Yours, until Krupp makes rubber goods,

CHRISTOPHER FEINLE, Jr.

Here is no doubt that Mr. Feinle, Jr.,.. knows whereof he chirps. Ordinarily, we don't bother with Juniors. If you can't bring around the old man, you might as well check your vote at the door with your hat. The label Junior is in itself an implied hint of inferiority. The Senior is the boss of the works. But, nevertheless, there was a battle between Gink and Lettzgo and the belt was two yards of crepe. Lettzgo won the belt. The next day it was flying from his doorbell at half mast.

Now, this is the question that stirred soup and continents, shook babies' rattles and empires and caused nations to bait their mouse traps with more cheese.

WHO REALLY WON?

Did, or did not, Lettzgo win that fight? Was, or was not, Gink Fowler, ruffian emeritus of Roughtown, the victor? The trophy was two yards of bad news. A rosette of illomen. The tapestry of the hereafter. The black ribbon of victory.

Gink was known as the Frank Gotch of boxing. He was the Man of a Thousand Holds, no two of which were different. He employed all these grips, four thousand lodge signs and the boa constrictor clinch in an effort to earn a few more bruises for his already well filled coffers.

He was unsuccessful. Lettzgo took a terrific hugging for fifteen rounds and finally threw a natural on the canvas. He took a long shake and a short roll. There was nothing for the referee to do but to slip the triumphant crepe to Lettzgo.

DECISION STOOD

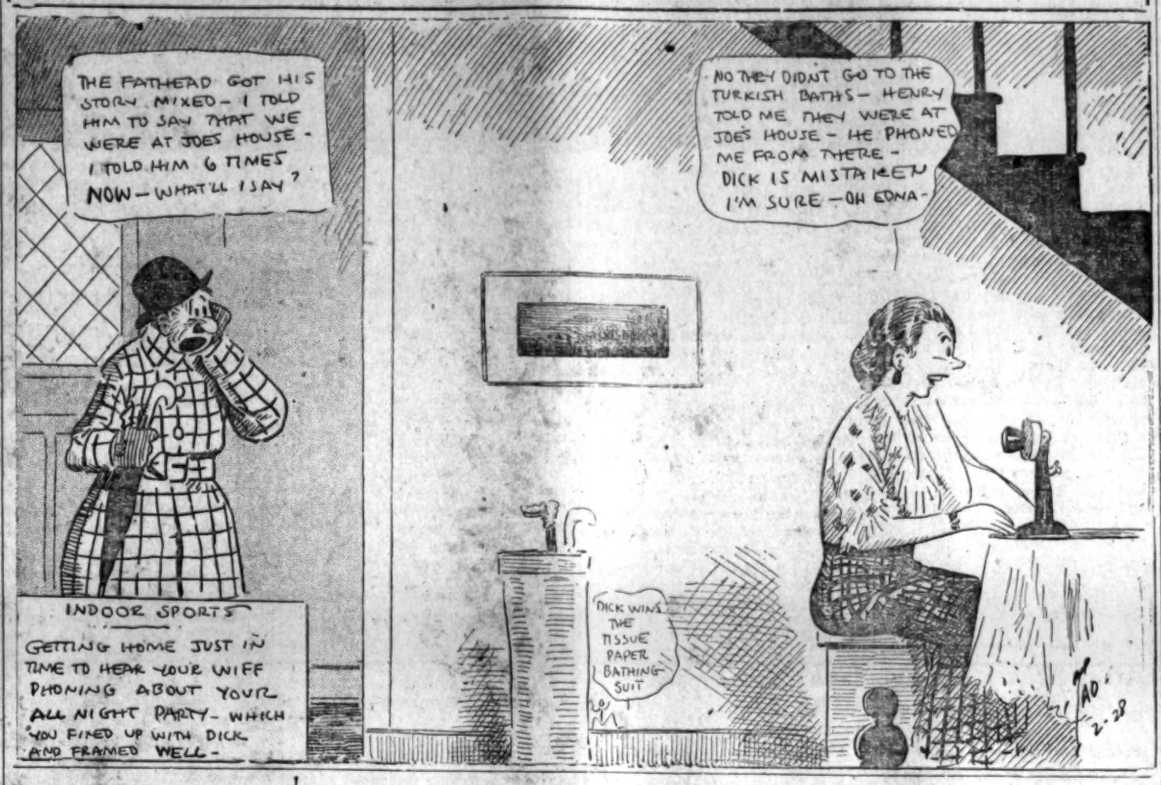
The decision aroused a storm of protest from the wifebeaters of Malayazoo, the alimony dodgers of Bacteria Archipelago and the pawn ticket canibals of the Hocking Islands. Nevertheless, it stood just as the referee's mind had seen it, firm as concrete.

At Lettzgo's interment the band played the "Waltz Song" from "Bicardi." A beautiful sentiment by the famous decomposer, Signor Rumm. The twilight was falling surreptitiously over Roughtown that evening, economical Roughtown fathers were beating their children and making them cry into the soup kettle, happy old folk the future, and a feeling of peace brooded over all.

But the question still remained. Lettzgo had won the Roughtown championship belt.

Had he won?

INDOOR SPORTS By Tad


THE FATHEAD GOT HIS STORY MIXED - I TOLD HIM TO SAY THAT WE WERE AT JOES HOUSE - I TOLD HIM 6 TIMES NOW - WHAT'LL I SAY?
INDOOR SPORTS
GETTING HOME JUST IN TIME TO HEAR YOUR WIFF PHONING ABOUT YOUR ALL NIGHT PARTY - WHICH YOU FIXED UP WITH DICK AND FRAMED WELL -
NO THEY DIDNT GO TO THE TURKISH BATHS - HENRY TOLD ME THEY WERE AT JOE'S HOUSE - HE PHONED ME FROM THERE - DICK IS MISTAKEN I'M SURE - OH EDNA -
DICK WINS THE TISSUE PAPER BATHING SUIT
TAD 2-28

REVOLVER SHOTS HAVE HIGH SCORE TO AIM AT NOW

Paymaster Cope's 383 Is Record To Be Broken By Men In April Tourney

The Revolver Clubs members' annual championship competition will close on Sunday, May 1. The competition calls for 10 shots at 10 yards, 10 shots at 15 yards, 10 shots at 20 yards and 10 shots at 25 yards, either hand. Time limit one hour. Clubs standard target with two-inch inner and four-inch outer bullseye. Highest possible score 400. Two reentries allowed.

The winner of the gold medal will be transferred to the championship class, which gives every member an equal chance of becoming the clubs champion for the year. If a member in the championship class is high score he will receive a gold bar.

The following six highest scores in previous Club members championship competition will give the new comers to Shanghai an idea of the class of shooting that is done by members of the Club.

During May the Shanghai allcomers. .45 Cal. revolver and pistol championship competition will be held.

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*Championship class.

Australian Team Nearing England

(*Reuter's Service*)

Toulon, April 16.—The Australian cricket team which is to visit England, arrived here today on board the Orient liner "Osterley" after an excellent voyage. The members of the team are in the best of health and are confident that they are going to win. They will proceed overland to England tomorrow.

Elcano Men Want Game; Destroyers Are Due Soon, Yet Sun Refuses To Shine

Candidates For Shanghai Nine Ask Warmer Weather; Membership Passes 400 Mark; Tientsin Will Be Strong

With a destroyer flotilla bringing sundry American sailors here in a couple of weeks and sailors in port clamoring for a baseball game, candidates for the Shanghai nine are asking for hot sun and balmy breezes. Yesterday was too cold for practice and the ground was a little soft. Sunday the djamond was a field of mud and there was no practice at all.

The Elcano wants a game before the ship sails but as the men are due to leave port Thursday, there is little chance for a game. Possibly a game will be played next Sunday if the weather warrants. Then games may be arranged with the baseball teams from Shanghai College Nanyang and St. John's University. The collegians will give the Americans a good workout and on the other hand the Yankees may be able to teach the Chinese a thing or two about our national game.

Two former Shanghai College men were out for practice yesterday; K. S. Chang, who was captain and shortstop for a couple of years and T. T. Zee, the basketball player, who is a fair outfielder. The two Chinese will make bids for places on the nine and Chang may be good enough for the second team. Both have joined the Baseball Club.

They are two of 401, according to the official count of Secretary Woodrow Wilson. The secretary further admits that his membership committee has made a miserable showing and is another advocate of a ladies' committee to pry certain tight ones loose from the ten dollars necessary from each American if the American national game is to be supported in Shanghai.

McNALLY SHOOTS TEN

T. J. McNally, who came down from Tientsin last Summer with the 15th Infantry team playing in the baseball series staged here, sent ten dollars to the Sporting Editor yesterday and asked that his name be enrolled in the list of members to the Shanghai Amateur Baseball Club.

McNally was a Knights of Columbus secretary in France, Siberia and Tientsin and after the "Caseys" withdrew from Tientsin, McNally was retained to do welfare work in the army. He gained fame as the first welfare worker in the front lines with the Americans at Chateau Thierry.

CIVILIANS LOOK GOOD

Incidentally McNally writes that the 15th Infantry will not be as strong this year as last. Several of the Army stars start for the United States within a month or two as their enlistments are about to expire.

On the other hand the Tientsin civilians expect to have a crack aggregation, needing only another pitcher or two to take some of the work from the shoulders of the ever-present Jawn Scott. Three first basemen are available, Kelly and Maloney are on hand to do the catching, the infield has lost only Cooper and Stark and counts on material from the many new arrivals, and the outfield will be about the same as last year's.

Giant Rookie, Only Six Feet Seven Inches, Making Good

Claude Davenport, the lanky New York Giant rookie pitcher snapped at the Giants' training camp at San Antonio, where he looked like a real find. Davenport is a little fellow, standing only six feet seven inches. Those who have seen him perform say he has a world of speed and makes the ball take numerous hops.

RACE CLUB BOOK GIVES PROGRAM FOR SPRING MEET

H. E. Morriss' "Field" Stable Not Entered; Johnstone In Farewell Races

The Shanghai Race Club's "Book" for the Spring meeting has just been issued by Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, giving the program for the four days' sport which is to be inaugurated May 2.

One of the conspicuous features of this year's meeting is the absence of the "Field" ponies, Mr. H. E. Morriss being away on leave.

Absent also from the activities will be Mr. Frank Vida, and a Spring meeting without him in the competiton will seem strange indeed. Injury at a recent week end meeting at the Race Course is keeping Mr. Vida out of the racing next month.

The meeting will be in the nature of a farewell appearance for Mr. John Johnstone, who will have another try at the Champions or Silver Streak before leaving for England. Mr. Johnstone returned to Shanghai from Hongkong last year to reappear on the course over which he has scored so many wins but it is probable that after the coming four days' program he will never again guide a pony round the Shanghai oval.

Entries for the Grand National total 24 while for the Derby 38 ponies are listed, Half Moon and the Copper Bird looming among the strongest possibilities. Silver Streak is being groomed for the Champions this year, but from what little opportunity there has been to observe the ponies in their practice runs there is going to be plenty of pushing for the honors in the Shanghai classic.

The program cards eleven races for each of the first three days and ten for Saturday. The tiffin interval will be after the third race each day except Champions day, Wednesday, when it will follow the fourth event.

FOOTBALL IN ENGLAND

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 16.—The Association Football match in the final round of the competition for the Scottish Cup, was played today, when Partick Thistle beat Glasgow Rangers by one goal to nil.

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JAPANESE IN TSINGTAO HOPE TO SEND ATHLETES HERE FOR FAR EAST MEET

Best Men Will Go To Japan For Tryouts Before Final Selections Are Made; Are Training At University With Men Under Direction Of Dr. Torrance

Japanese athletes in Tsingtao will try out for the team which will represent Japan at the coming Far Eastern Championship Games, to be held here beginning May 30. The Tsingtao squad is training with Chinese athletes and the students of the Tsingtao University Preparatory Academy, where Dr. Arthur L. Torrance is pulling through a play-for-all program which keeps his students in shape. Through the all-around development fostered through the general athletic program Dr. Torrance hopes to get together a small group of foreign boys to compete here in the open meet.

A track and field meet will be held in Tsingtao shortly under the direction of the Academy when Chinese and Japanese athletes at the port will get an opportunity to perform and show what possibilities they have for making either the China or Japan, team.

Dr. John H. Gray, honorary secretary of the China Contest Committee was invited by the Academy faculty to act as referee for the meet but Dr. Gray is unable to leave Shanghai at this time as with all preparations for the Olympics under the way, he must be on hand to watch their progress.

Dr. Torrance, who is the representative in Tsingtao of the Games Committee, hoped to create interest among the Chinese there by a banquet to Dr. Gray at which the leading Japanese officials and athletes could hear from the local man of his plans for the games. It is not known how many athletes will make the China team from Tsingtao.

CANTON MEET FRIDAY

From the other end of the country comes the report that Canton is shy on long distance swimmers although the South plans to send six fast men to enter the dashes. The delegation from the South will leave Hongkong on May 17 or 18 and will get here some ten days before the games start.

Athletes from Canton, Macao and practically every center in Kwangtung Province will get their tryouts on Friday and Saturday of this week, when the Kwangtung Provincial meet will be held at Canton.

Ceylon will not send a team this year, according to a letter received from Colombo yesterday by Dr. Gray. The Governor of Ceylon hopes to be able to send a team to the games in Osaka in 1923.

Woman Golf Champion Of United States Sails For European Honors

Miss Alexa Stirling, of Atlanta, for three consecutive years woman golf champion of the United States, photographed as she sailed for Europe from New York. Miss Stirling is going abroad to seek new honors. She will compete in both the British and French women's title tournaments. This is Miss Stirling's first trip.

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MME CURIE TO GET RADIUM FORTUNE

American Women Will Give Her Only One Grain Of It, But It Costs $100,000

LEAVES PARIS ON MAY 7

Noted Scientists To Honor Woman Who Sacrificed Wealth To Welfare Of World

New York, March 13.—Mme. Marie Curie expects to sail from Paris for New York May 7, according to a statement issued yesterday by the Marie Curie Radium Fund Committee, No. 3 Macdougal Street. She will be in this country about five weeks.

Mme. Curie is coming to receive degrees from several universities and medals from scientific societies, and while here she will be given a gram of radium, purchased by American women, that she may continue her experimentation. It is believed by many scientists and physicians that she will be able to so control the mysterious element that the cure of cancer will be made more effective.

Subscriptions are being received for the radium, which will cost $100,000.

Mme. Curie is to be offered this radium because her financial circumstances do not permit her to buy so much as a grain of the precious substance, and for the further reason that France, which possesses less than a single gram, has none to spare. All the radium in France is being used in hospital work.

SAVE ALL TO HUMANITY

The life of Mme. Curie has been devoted to science to such an extent that she has taken no thought of her own finances. She failed to patent the element, preferring to give it to the world, and it is now a fact that while others have made enormous fortunes from her discovery, she herself is dependent for her livelihood upon her small salary as teacher in the Paris University. On this income she is maintaining herself and educating her two daughters. She will be the guest of the American Committee from the time she leaves home until she returns. Otherwise it would be impossible for her to make the trip.

Mail at the committee's headquarters is heavy with invitations for Mme. Curie's entertainment while here. These have come from America's greatest scientists, from universities, from societies devoted to scientific research and from persons of wealth who realise what this remarkable woman has done for humanity and who wish to aid in a small way in repaying this debt.

The committee is making an itinerary for Mme. Curie which will take her into the Middle West and possibly as far as the Grand Canyon of Colorado, which she has expressed a desire to see. It is also likely she will visit one of the plants manufacturing radium. No arrangements have been made for any addresses to be delivered by the scientist, and if she appears in the role of lecturer it will be before some scientific body.

SCIENTISTS TO GREET HER

Subscriptions to the fund are coming in at the committee's headquarters and are also being received by the Equitable Trust Company, 37 Wall Street, Treasurer. The radium must be ordered by the last of this month if it is to be on hand when Mme. Curie arrives.

Dr. Edgar D. Smith, President of the American Chemical Society has, at the request of the Executive Committee, named chemists who will serve on the reception committee. They are Dr. Leo H. Raekeland of Yonkers; Dr. Marsten T. Bogert, Prof. J. Enrique Wanetti and Dr. Charles F. Chandler of Columbia University; Dr. R. B. Moore of the United States Bureau of Mines, Washington; Dr. Wilder B. Bancroft of Ithaca; Prof. Bertram Boltwood of Yale University; Dr. Charles L. Parsons of Washington; Dr. Charles H. Herty and Dr. W. H. Nichols of New York; Dr. Ira Remsen of Johns Hopkins University; Dr. T. W. Richards of the Gibbs Memorial Laboratory, Cambridge, Mass., and Dr. W. A. Noyes of the University of Illinois.

STARTLING GOWNS ON PARIS WOMEN

Their Evening Dresses Are Daring; No Sleeves, Bare Backs, Slit Skirts

London, March 1.—A vivid idea of the extremes to which the women of Paris resort in their efforts to outstartle one another in the matter of dress is given by a Paris correspondent of the London Times, who writes of the fashionable life of Paris as follows:

"Social Paris is now decidedly gay. There is entertaining everywhere, although half society is supposed to be in the south. Restaurants are busy and dances are held at many of them. Evening dress at fashionable restaurants is daring; the most decollete dresses of the season are worn—no sleeves, bare backs and skirts made up of slit draperies and ridiculous trains falling from the sides. The want of bodice and the skimpiness of skirts under transparent veilings seem to encourage more make-up than ever.

"The fatigue of dancing is another incitement to paint and powder; color mounts on cheeks and lips and powder is used too generously. Red haired women even accentuate the color of the hair and cultivate pale faces with carmine lips. Sunburn powder is worn with a bright color and eyebrows are definitely marked.

"Residents in Paris do not notice these peculiarities as much as visitors to whom a fashionable restaurant is quite exciting though they see there only a small part of France and a small part also of other countries.

"Women who live blindly for dress and fashion are fortunately few, but they are noticeable. Far more numerous are those who dress well and in moderation. These do not go much to the fashionable restaurants, but they can be seen at the theaters, the opera and at the concerts, and their way of dressing for such amusements is so quiet as to be almost dull. At private parties they wear full dress, and in the details they excel. On shoes, gloves, stockings, linen, hair, complexion and hands they spend much money and time. They lean toward elegance in such matters. To be carelessly dressed is to fail in their duty as women, but to be fashionable to excess is as great a mistake."

Belgium Assures Genius Of Reward

Brussels, March 1.—The fate of being famous and yet dying in poverty, which has been the lot of many a creative genius, will be spared the artists and authors of Belgium, at least if the bill which M. J. Destree, Socialist Minister of Arts and Sciences, has placed before Parliament becomes a law.

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Railroad Error Foils German Thief's Trick

Man Shipped In Basket Fails To Meet Confederates; Plays Possum

Berlin, March 1.—The carelessness of railroad employees has taught a certain German robber a lesson that he probably will not soon forget. This burglar had a good idea, but he certainly made a mistake when he allowed himself to depend upon the railroad employees to carry it out.

Recently a large clothes basket was delivered at a German station for despatch to the Spandau goods station. But by mistake the basket was sent to the goods station at Wesdermark. There the basket was placed on a pile of misdirected goods and left in the rain for three days. Seeing that the basket was pretty wet, the station master decided to open it and see if there was anything inside that might spoil.

To his surprise he found what he believed to be the dead body of a man, also a set of burglar's tools. The station master called the police, but by the time they arrived the "body" began to show signs of life, and the thief discovered that far from being in the midst of confederates he was confronted by the police. Instead of having been in the basket a few hours, as he had expected when he had himself despatched to Spandau, the robber had been in the basket three days, and so was pretty well starved and almost frozen. When he was thawed out he astonished the station master with a flow of red hot language abusing the stupidity of the railway employees in sending his basket to the wrong destination.

Army Flyers Ready For Real Sea Fight

Would Be 'Tickled Pink' To Swap Shells With Gobs, Says Pulitzer Trophy Winner

Washington, March 12.—Army aviators have become so enthusiastic over the proposed experiment of bombing naval vessels under approximate wartime conditions that scores of them have suggested that the fleet be allowed to fire back at the planes with anti-aircraft guns.

While Admirals and Generals have been advancing and disputing claims that the airplane is far superior to the battleship as a war weapon, army pilots have flooded the office of the Air Service Director with pleas that the matter be settled under honest-to-goodness war conditions.

Lieut. C. C. Moseley, victorious pilot in the recent airplane race at Mineola Field for the Pulitzer Trophy, would be "tickled pink" at the opportunity of a real fight with the navy gunners.

"I firmly believe," he wrote his chief "that a bunch of those gobs would have about as much chance of hitting one of us (especially if the old battleship were in motion) as the proverbial snowball."

"With a fast plane I would feel perfectly secure to fly around all day over the Atlantic Fleet and let them shoot at me with anything they have—anything from a pop-gun to a 16-inch piece," read a letter from Capt. Harvey Weir Cook.

Army fliers claim that they could sink the biggest battleship with one direct hit with a 1,100 pound bomb dropped from an altitude of 3,000 feet. They contend that the explosive would have such force it would buckle in the plates of the warship, making it impossible to keep afloat.

Sungkiang Sends In $770 For Famine Aid

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Sungkiang, Ku, April 16.—Famine Relief Work in Sungkiang is fairly under way now and the organisation is about completed. Some very liberal donations have been made by local people and the response seems spontaneous. However, a man who is said to be one of the richest, if not the richest, man in Sungkiang gave $4.

Some of the donations are mentioned below:

Doo S-ding	$30.00
Miss Zien	10.00
Girl's Sungkiang Bible School	116.00
McLain Memorial Church	30.00
Yang Yi-daung	10.00
Tsang An-z	300.00
Tsu Kwaung-yen	50.00
Foreigners in Sungkiang	295.00

Kyung Dzak, a neighboring village sent in $20.00.

The total amount sent into the Famine Relief CoCmmittee is $770. This is a fair beginning but we are expecting more.

Salt Funds Used To Maintain Army

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Peking, April 15.—That a high official in the Ministry of Finance has withheld from payment to the banks the funds assigned from the recently released Salt Surplus for the expenses of the National Loan Consolidation Service, and is holding the money for the soldiers in Peking, is learned to be the cause of the rapid decline in the market value during the past few days of China's government bonds.

For carrying on the important work of the National Loan Consolidation Service, the banks have already advanced $10,000,000; doing so on the security of the Salt Surplus. When information is received that high government officials are diverting funds for other purposes than those to which they were assigned, loss of confidence in the Government and the fall in price of Government securities is not remarkable.

Further, arrangements had been completed by the banks to supply funds for the school arrears, and the money was on the point of being turned over to the Ministry of Finance for that purpose, when the hold-up of the Salt Surplus came to light, resulting in an immediate cancellation of the entire proposition.

BABY REFUGEE TO BE ADOPTED

A one year and nine months-old motherless baby girl, child of a Russian-Jewish war refugee, was legally assured of a comfortable future yesterday in the United States Court for China, after the hearing of the application of Mr. and Mrs. Edward O. Freund for the adoption of Celia, the only child of Gedale Garzonowitch. The application was heard by Judge C. S. Robingier. A decree of adoption, the Court said, would be prepared in due time.

The baby was born in Russia. Her parents fled before the Bolshevik advance, and finally found refuge in Harbin. There the mother became ill, and while the child was still a helpless infant, died. Mr. Garzenowitch, some time ago, came to Shanghai in search of employment.

He was not able to care properly for the baby, he told the court. Mr. Freund testified for himself and Mrs. Freund, that they were willing and anxious to adopt the baby. They are caring for it now. He is Far Eastern representative for a big American meat by-products company.

NEW BISHOP

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, April 18.—The Primate has nominated Rev. Thomas A. Scott Bishop of Shantung. The service of consecration will probably be held on June 29.

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French President To Receive Special Envoy From China

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, April 18.—Chu Chi-chien the special envoy of the President of the Chinese Republic, who is shortly arriving in Paris for the purpose of further strengthening the intellectual and commercial bonds between France and China, will visit President Millerand and confer with a number of distinginshed personages and bodies concerned with the intellectual and commercial advancement of China.

No fewer than three railway vans will be needed to transport the numerous presents to France which he is bringing. These include numerous pieces of valuable embroidery, one of which is reputed to be 3,000 years old.

Shansi Governor's Aim To Improve Breed Of China Pony

(Continued from Page 5)

under the weights imposed in China racing. For polo the new product of Shansi in about another decade will be a heaven or rather America-sent blessing. Being stud farm productions they will be much more tractable from coltage upwards than the promiscuous rover of the Mongolian plains which knows not the meaning of control until he has been tossed out of the mob in his native wilds.

The Shansi experiment is a most interesting one and is worthy the closest attention of all those who look upon racing as a sport and a tussle between the best no matter who happens to be the owner of the victor.

It is the very greatest pity that steps were not taken to send some of the Russian racing blood stock, which was recently in Shanghai, to the Mongol breeding centers as in another fifteen years what are records today would be completely obliterated without any detriment to the breed as we know it, but rather the reverse. The opportunity has gone for the time being so the hopes of blood stock improvement must depend upon the progressive Governor of Shansi as far as China is concerned.

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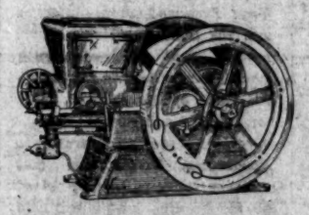

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PACI IS HONORED BY MUSIC LOVERS AT FINE CONCERT

Conductor Of Municipal Orchestra Given Ovation On Eve Of Departure

Mr. Mario Paci, conductor of the Municipal orchestra, leaves for Italy on the steamer Trieste tomorrow on leave and at the concert on Sunday he was given an ovation by over 1,700 people who crowded the Town Hall in significant testimonial to the work done by the popular conductor since he took over the orchestra.

The stage was banked with beautiful flowers, sent by Mr. Paci's admirers and at the close of the concert, which was one of the best of the symphony season, the conductor was presented with a beautiful silver shield. Mr. V. Siroldo, the violinist, was also remembered.

It is understood that Mr. Paci is to purchase instruments and secure new men for the band and orchestra.

Sunday's concert, which was heard by the record crowd of the season, was one of the best in the series given under Mr. Paci's direction. Madame M. B. Tcherkasskaya, the Russian prima-donna, and Mr. Siroldo were the soloists.

Anti-Opium Society Offers Co-operation In Licencing Sellers

Annual Meeting Of Association To Be Held At Y.M.C.A. On May First

The annual meeting of the International Anti-opium Association will be held at the Y.M.C.A. on May 4 at 5 p.m. The date was fixed at the executive committee of the association at a meeting yesterday. Officers of the ensuing year will be elected. A report will be presented by Mr. Isaac Mason, retiring secretary, who will sail for England on a vacation in the middle of May. Mr. Mason will be away for over a year.

Mr. Mason's formal resignation was tendered yesterday and the committee recorded a vote of thanks to Mr. Mason for his untiring efforts in carrying on the campaign against the drug in China.

A nomination committee, consisting of Mr. J. W. Crofoot, Dr. C. J. Davenport, Mr. Zee Vee-wei and Mr. C. F. Lin were elected to nominate the new officers at the coming meeting. Mr. George A. Fitch will be in charge of the program of the meeting.

A discussion of the propriety of the Municipal police to re-open the sale of opium for medical purpose by licensing the sellers took place and it was decided to co-operate with the police in the enforcement of the license conditions.

Mr. Mason spoke at length of the need of better organisation of the committee itself and suggested proper supervision over the general secretary of the committee who will keep office hours at the headquarters of the association.

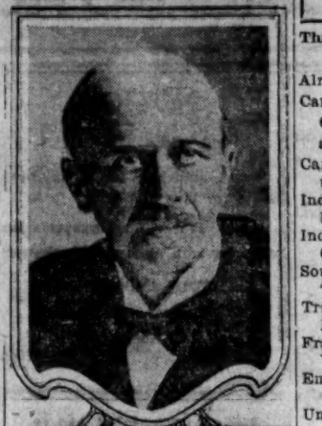
Burglars Make Haul In Foreign Residence

G.$5,000 Worth Of Jewelry Taken From Home Of Mr. Rakusen

Burglars who broke into the home of Mr. C. Rakusen, 1 Kiangwan Road, early Sunday morning escaped with G. $5,000 worth of jewelry after they had aroused the inmates. Over $4,000 worth of silverware which the intruders had collected together was abandoned when they were frightened away.

The burglary occurred shortly after 4 a.m. One of the men entered a bedroom, where the jewelry was found, and Mrs. Rakusen was awakened, whereupon the man fled. The silverware was found wrapped up and ready for removal. Entry to the house was attained through one of the French windows.

Britain's New Secretary For War



Sir Laming Worthington Evans

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Shriners Plan For Another Pilgrimage

Nomad Oasis Adopted Constitution And Elects Officers

A well attended meeting of Nomad Oasis of the A. A. O. N. M. S. was held at the Masonic Temple last evening and a constitution for the purpose of continuing the activities of the organisation was adopted. In compliance with the provisions of the constitution the following officers were elected: Noble John R. Hykes, President Emeritus; Noble Fred W. Van Buskirk, President; Noble George E. Fowler, Vice-President; Noble Allen G. Loehr, Secretary and Noble F. A. Bowen, Treasurer.

The next regular meeting of Nomad Oasis will take place on Tuesday evening May 6 in the Masonic Temple, at which time it is expected the initial steps will be taken for arranging for and securing if possible another Pilgrimage by representatives of the Imperial Council of the A. A. O. N. M. S. to take place on or near the anniversary of the historical "Hyke's" class, which doubtless holds the record of any Shrine class for diversity of localities represented, there being fourteen countries and twenty-eight States of the U. S. among the birthplaces of its 78 members. It is hoped to have as large and equally imposing a class when the next Pilgrimage is made.

Wedding

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Changteho, April 9, 1921.

Anglican Church Meeting In Hankow

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Hankow, April 17.—The fourth general synod of the Anglican Church in China, or the Chung Hua Sheng Kung Hui as it is known in Chinese, opened on Sunday, April 17, at Wuchang wher members of the synod from all parts of China are meeting to discuss an important agenda about Church affairs in China.

The sessions of the synod are held in the Library building of Boone University of the American Church Mission in Wuchang, while the opening service took place in the Church of the Nativity with the Right Rev. F. R. Graves, Bishop of Shanghai, as Chairman, and the Rev. T. A. Scott, Bishop-Designate of Shantung, preacher. The synod is sitting daily from 9:15 to noon, and from 2 p.m. to 4:30 p.m. Both Houses assemble in the Library, the bishops downstairs and the delegates in Stokes Hall.

The provisional agenda contains, in both Houses, the following subjects of discussion: "Reports by committees on Trust Funds, on Canons, on Christian Unity, on the Prayer Book, on Religous Education, on Church Literature, on the State of the Church, on the Central Theological School, on the Lectionary, on Social Service and on Greetings to Chinese abroad," besides the report of the standing committee and of the Board of Missions.

The Kiangsu Synod brings in, as a matter for discussion, a Canon on Marriage and Divorce; and the Hankow Synod suggests that the titles of the Church Ministry be changed to better Chinese terms.

All members of the Synod are accommodated at or near Boone University, where the Committee on Hospitality consists of Dr. Alfred A. Gilman, Rev. Arthur M. Sherman, Mr. C. Y. Lee and Mr. T. Y. Seng. The majority of the Chinese delegates, some sixty in number, are housed in the Boy Scouts building, while foreign delegates are scattered among foreign dwellings in Wuchang.

There will be a reception for the whole Synod at the Divinity School of Boone University on April 23, Bishop and Mrs. L. H. Roots of Hankow will give a reception in Hankow to meet all members of the Synod.

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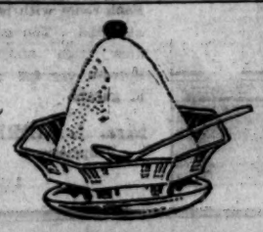

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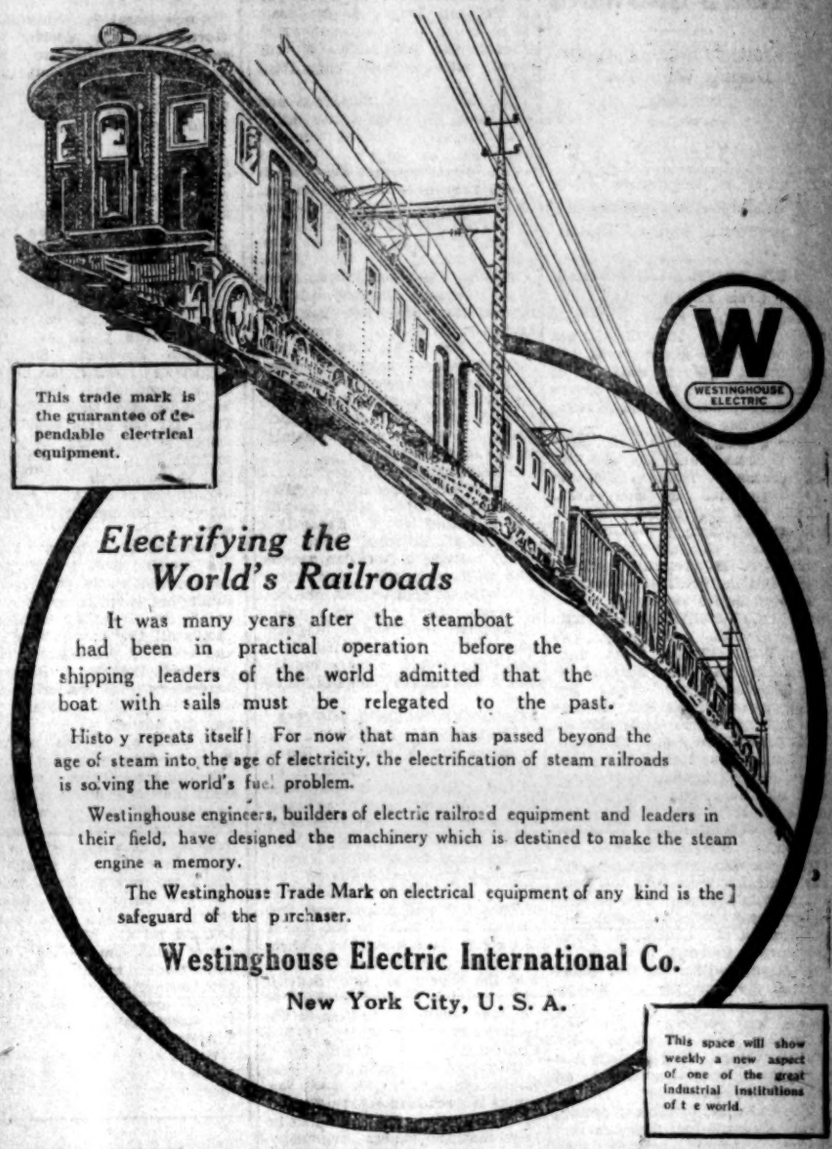

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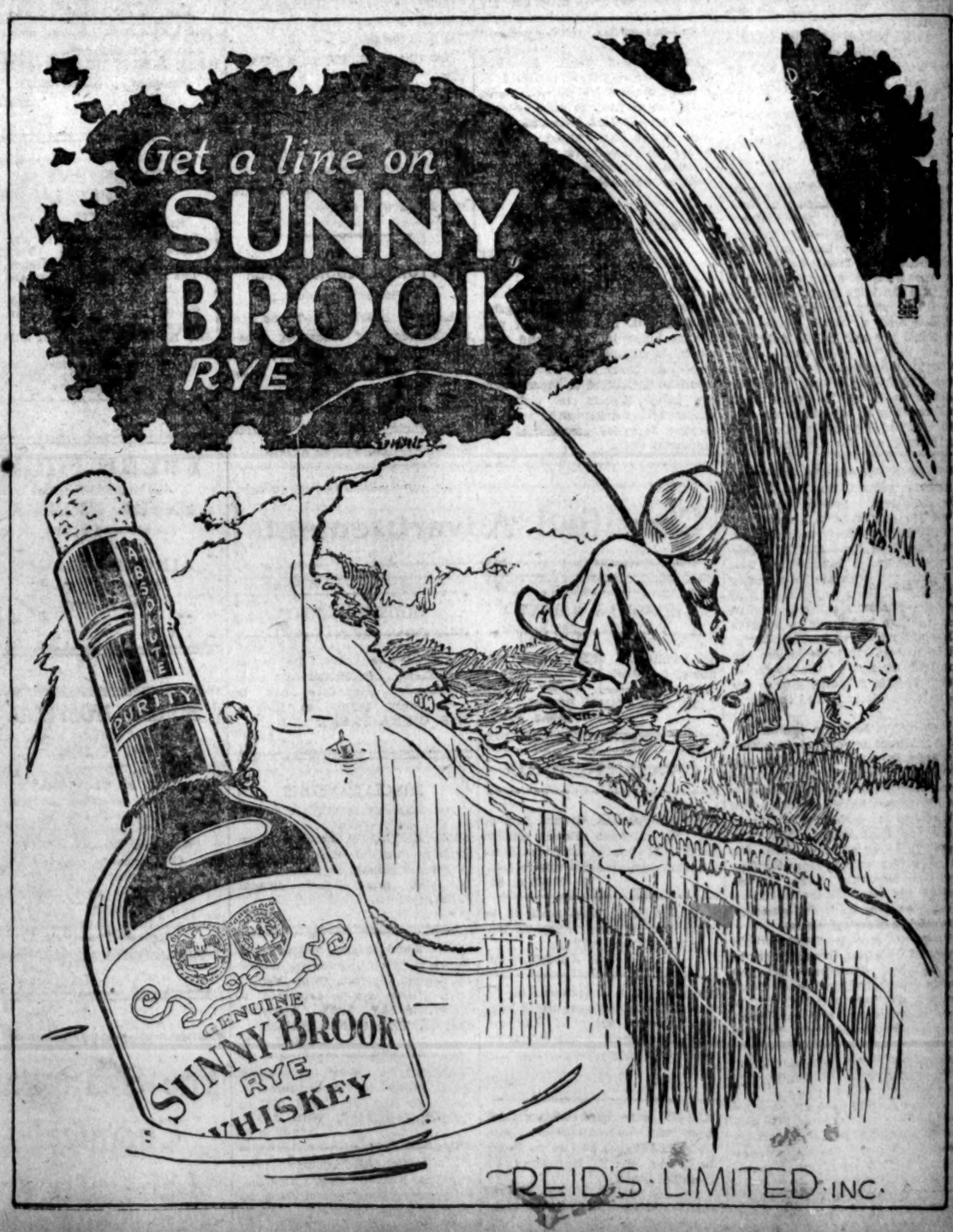

ITALY'S APATHY TOWARD FRANCE KEEPS GROWING

Old Time Grudges, Forgotten During War, Are Reviving

SPOILS OF WAR ISSUE

Germany Is Regaining Favor In Society And Commerce Enjoyed in Former Alliance

BY BEATRICE BASKERVILLE

(*New York World*)

Rome, March 1.—The old saw about being well off with your old love before you get on with the new might apply to Italy if it were not for the fact that she is returning to her old one and turning from her new.

For a long while the anti-French feeling here has been on the increase. Though its extent is exaggerated in New York, where it is said to have invaded the art field and prevented the performing of one of Berlioz's works, it is certainly making itself felt in political, economic and even social circles.

OLD GRIEVANCES RAKED UP

The reasons are many. To begin with, though next door neighbors and "Latin sisters" (in the columns of the press) not much love was ever lost between the nations, which dwell one on each side of the Alps. There are old rancors, the loss of Savoy, old wars, French influence in the days of Papal despotism and, perhaps more powerful than all because it is a fundamental and primitive reason, a certain likeness between the two, just strong enough for irritating little tiffs, too weak for real friendship. And because of these old scores, Italy's prompt declaration of neutrality when Germany invaded France, a declaration which let free many French divisions for the life-or-death fight, was a generous action; and perhaps too, though it is hard for outsiders to judge of such things, its generosity has never been fully appreciated on the far side of the Alps.

The war over, the dreary, weary, hard struggle for reconstruction began. And old wounds bled afresh, chafed by new rivalries, no longer kept in place by the urgent need of beating a common foe, crushing a common danger.

Ask an uneducated Italian why he dislikes the French and he will tell you that he neither likes nor hates them, unless he comes from near the French border, when his answer is: "They are always French."

Ask the Italian of the middle classes, of average intelligence, what he has against them and he answers: "Why, they sent two divisions to the Battle of the Piave and French soldiers have had the nerve to tell me they won that battle." And, "Well, France hasn't treated us fairly over the peace treaty. France doesn't let us have enough coal from Germany; France will not send us enough phosphates." And, "Why look at French protectionism. France has got rich Alsace-Lorraine free of debt and because after four years of war we have the hilly Tyrol, the rocky Carso and stony Istria, we've been saddled with a good share of Austria's pre-war public debt. It is not fair." And, very often from business men, "France only pays 135 francs a ton for her factory coal; by the time that coal reaches us we must pay 500 lire. French factories can buy their scrapiron for 14 francs; we must pay 400 lire."

NOT ENOUGH SPOILS OF WAR

Others will tell you the French are impatient, proud, boastful. Some go so far as to assure you this country bitterly regrets ever having joined the war on the side of the Allies. "Neutrality was our card and we were fools not to play it," is their opinion. And Premier Giolitti's attitude toward the war has had much to do with his popularity now he has returned to power. Italy feels she has not had enough of the spoils of war. This is a brutal way to put it, but like many brutal things, it is true.

Naturally, Germany gains by this coldness toward yesterday's comrade in arms. No nation can live without being friendly toward some foreign one and Germany is Italy's friend today. In fact this friendship is seriously worrying some big Captains of Italy just now. It looks so much like the old, pre-war peaceful penetration that the men who have striven during six years to make Italian commerce free and independent are raising a cry of alarm.

There are crowds of Germans in Italy. All classes, from princes to the humble drummer, fill the hotels and boarding houses and make their speech heard in the streets, museums and galleries. They are to be met with in the drawing rooms of the society folk where they have been received with open arms. Germans are everywhere. Last summer the Lido, the bathing island just off Venice, was so German that people who dislike Teutons "left it severely alone." "Just like pre-war Lido," they said, and sought places where Germans were not.

GERMAN DRUMMER ACTIVE

The German drummer is offering his wares. Thanks to the low value of the mark, they are cheaper than any other. But the storekeeper sells them no cheaper than French or home-made goods; he is getting the benefit of the bargain, not the public. But where the German has lost his old advantage is in the matter of credit; the once famous German "pay when you please" no longer holds good. This is a disadvantage which French and Americans, if they liked, could turn to their great profit.

All the German newspaper men are back, the same faces which were reviled and called "traitors and spies" in the first flush of 1915. Their conduct and speech prove they have learned nothing and forgotten nothing. They still treat Italy with open contempt, as in the days when she was the poor relation of the Triple Alliance. And yet nobody gives them a lesson. Indeed, upon a certain Herr Stein has just been bestowed the title of "Commendatore." Not a big title, and one borne by a good many men of not altogether unimpeachable reputation, but a title nevertheless, and its emblem is the first decoration given to a foreign newspaper man since the armistice.

Thirty years of alliance, that is the sum of German-Italian political brotherhood, tells, despite war and other things. Recently a princess of the royal house of Savoy married a Bavarian prince. The German guests wore their full imperial regimentals, and the German piked helmet, whose appearance in France or Belgium, except in the humble guise of a coal-box, would raise a tumult. But it was not even commented on here.

SIXTO AND FRANCIS JOSEPH

Prince Sixto, brother of ex-Empress Zita, is now in Rome, stopping at the Convent of St. Basile. His recently published book contains many passages hostile to Italy. But even easy-going Italian opinion is a little indignant at the presence here of the man who plotted during the war to make separate peace with France and get France and Britain to leave Italy in the lurch. Deputy Bevione has asked a question about him in the Chamber, and the papers do not conceal their opinion that he is here to get the Vatican to help in the restoration of his brother-in-law, Charles, to the Austrian throne.

Another Prince who has been lionised in society the last few weeks is Archduke Joseph Francis of Hapsburg. So feted has he been that the papers printed a report that he was to marry Princess Yolanda, the eldest daughter of Italy's King. The report was promptly denied, but in printing the denial the press added that he had come here with the hope of finding an Italian Princess, as Conrad of Bavaria did in Princess Bona of Savoy.

Is Italy going to renew her old alliance with Germany? People have been asking the question. But nobody believes she is. Germany is free to work out her program of economic penetration without a political alliance, and Italy has nothing to gain by one. However, the fact remains that Italy is the only allied country where Germans have come back in such force since the war and been so welcome.

Hunan Party Plan Visit To Japan

Hankow, April 14.—The Chinese Chamber of Commerce of Changsha, Hunan, with the purpose of promoting home industries and commerce, is organising an industrial inspection party from amongst its members to proceed to Japan where the party expects to visit the numerous factories and mills in leading Japanese commercial and industrial cities.

Italy Looking For Oil At Home

Rome, March 2.—The Italian Government has decided to search for petroleum at home. The country needs about 400,000 tons a year, including heavy oils and benzine. This is at present supplied by America, and the high exchange makes the business very expensive. So far, Italy only produces about one-sixteenth of the oil needed.

Italian engineers, who have studied the fields, report that oil can be obtained in large quantities from the Island of Sicily, that part of Southern Italy known as the Basilicata, from Salerno, Lazio and the Avellino Province. So the Ministry of Industry has decided to spend some money in boring for oil in those districts. Thus far the sums voted are small, being a little over a million lire. But it is hoped that if the search now being undertaken brings good results more will be appropriated very soon.

Captains of industry here are much divided as to the country's oil resources. Some think that there is enough oil in South Italy and Sicily to supply all the country's needs and make it independent of American, British or Russian sources, but the majority do not believe there is enough to pay for boring.

This has made the matter hang fire for a very long time; and also accounts for the small sums the Government is ready to risk on the speculation. Private enterprise has shown itself just as wary, with the result that whatever possibilities there may be have been neglected many years. Some delay was caused last year because private oil searchers, out of patriotism, waited for a home-made machine before prospecting. But the action was so severely criticised that the machinery has now been imported.

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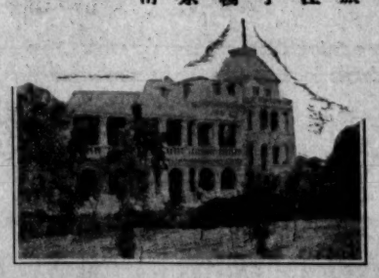

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GODOWNS, part or whole, to let in central district. Apply to L. V Lang, No. 8 French Bund.

36701

HOUSES WANTED

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36982

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36897

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37075 A 21

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37092 A.20

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SHANGHAI, TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 1921

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Business and Official Notices

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The San Peh Co.'s Steamer "Ning Shin", Captain Augestad, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund Nantao, on Wednesday, 20th April, at about 6 p.m. This Steamer has extra large cabins with all the conveniences of a mail Steamer, with observation saloons fore and aft. Excellent service and cuisine. Passage fare, Shanghai to Foochow, single $30 and return $48. For Freight or Passage, apply to the office of the Company, 47-49 Avenue Edward VII. Telephones: Freight C. 1520, Passage C. 3283.

37116

Hankow and Ports

The San Peh S. N. Co., Ltd. agents Str. Hwah Lee, Capt. Lee, will leave from the Ningshao Wharf, Chinese Bund Nantao, on Tuesday, the 19th April, at about 12 o'clock (midnight) (Cabins fitted with electric light). Passage Money, Shanghai to Hankow, $26 single and $54 return. For Freight or Passage apply to the office of the Company 47-49 Avenue Edward VII. Telephones, Freight 1520, Passage 3283.

37117

NOTICE

I hereby beg to give notice, that as of this date, I have resigned my position as General Manager of the Shanghai Office of Edward Maurer Co., Inc.

B. F. BROWN.

April 19th, 1921. 37132

NOTICE

Our patrons are requested to take note that we have no branches anywhere except our old firm at Weihaiwei; firms assuming the name of Jelly Belly in other ports are not owned by us.

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Weihaiwei.

37126

THE CHINA IMPORT & EXPORT LUMBER CO., LTD.

Notice is hereby given that the Nineteenth Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at the offices of the General Agents and Managers No. 6 Kiukiang Road, Shanghai (2nd floor) on Thursday, 28th April, 1921, at 4.00 p.m.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 21st to the 28th April, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,

Arnhold Bros. & Co., Ltd.,
General Agents & Managers,
Shanghai, April 17th, 1921.

37089

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A complete set of Chinese Encyclopedia (古今圖書集成) 330 volumes, 10,000 chapters, imperial print of 4th year of Yun Cheng. (雍正) Intending buyers are requested to apply to Mr. Lee 847 Manila Road, Shanghai, between 3 and 5 p.m. daily.

37140

S.S. Mulpua from New York

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of ship damaged cargo ex the above steamer will be held at the China Merchants Central Wharf at 9 a.m. Wednesday, April 20, when Messrs. Eisler & Reeves will be in attendance.

THE ADMIRAL LINE, AGENTS.

37138

S. S. "BEAR PORT" from Portland

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

An examination of broken and ship-damaged cargo will be held at the Chang Kah Pang Wharf on Tuesday, April 19th, at 9 a.m., when the Marine Surveyors, Messrs. Eisler & Reeves, will be in attendance.

COLUMBIA PACIFIC SHIPPING COMPANY,
China Pacific Co., Agents

37060

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37094

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36697

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36625

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37080

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American citizens intending to return to the United States are furthermore informed that, under existing regulations, they will be required to obtain income tax clearances from the internal revenue agent at the port of embarkation before such persons are allowed to leave the United States.

EDWIN S. CUNNINGHAM,
American Consul-General.

37046

NOTICE

Thurman B. Haas M. D., specialist in diseases of eye, ear, nose and throat, announces opening offices in Raven Trust Company's Building, 15 Nanking Road. Office Hours 10 to 12.30 and 2 to 5. Phone Central 6312.

37039

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The tenders will be opened before the public at 3 p.m. 1st of July 1921.

By order,
Managing Director.

37045

OFFICES WANTED

OFFICE WANTED: One large and two small rooms in central district, must be well lighted and low rental. Give full details of what you have to offer. Apply to Box 38, THE CHINA PRESS.

37034 A 12

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Chinese Government Railways
TIENTSIN-PUKOW LINE

Notification No. 310. (064-11)

The public is hereby informed that owing to the discovery of new plague cases in Ta Chen Hsien and Hien Hsien, the Peiyang Sanitary Department suggested temporary suspension of booking passenger tickets at stations in Chihli province. Consequently the Administration decides to suspend selling of passenger tickets to and from Yangliutsing, Liangwangchuang, Tulluchen, Tsinghaihsien, Chenkuantun, Tangkuantun, Machang, Tsinghsien, Hingtai, Yaokuantun and Tsangchow stations from 16th April, in addition to the suspension of passenger traffic between Tsangchow and Sangyuan already in force, until further notice.

(Sgd.) S. C. SHU,
Managing Director.

Tientsin, 15th April, 1921.

37124

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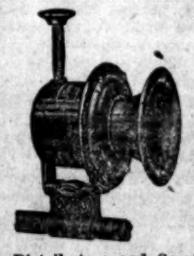
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37121 A 20

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37131

WANTED, stenographer. Neat, energetic Portuguese or Eurasian girl. Must be thoroughly experienced, for American import and export firm. Reply, stating salary required, to Box 92, THE CHINA PRESS.

37134 A 19

WANTED, a stenographer and typist for an Inter-Church Committee in Hangchow. Salary on missionary basis. British or American, single man or woman preferred. Could use Chinese properly qualified. Apply to Box 62, THE CHINA PRESS.

27074 A 21.

WANTED, European or Eurasian girl as companion to English lady. Reply, stating particulars, to Box 32, THE CHINA PRESS.

37027 A. 21

HOUSES TO LET

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A 21

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37113 A 21

TO LET, from May 1st, near French park, a well furnished house containing six rooms, three bathrooms, etc. All modern conveniences, tennis, telephone. Furniture can be given over. Apply to Box No. 77, THE CHINA PRESS.

37104 A 22

PROFESSIONAL

EXPERIENCED TEACHER gives Hebrew lessons. Guaranteed success. Apply to Box 80, THE CHINA PRESS.

37112

FRENCH LADY teacher in a local school gives private French lessons Apply to Box 67, THE CHINA PRESS.

37081 A 20.

DANCING: Private lessons in modern dances given by experienced lady: Fox trot, One step, Two step and Waltzes, etc., also private lessons given. Apply Miss White, 301B Avenue Joffre.

37055 A. 17

YOUNG lady, speaking Polish, French and English, desires position as companion or teacher. Apply to Box 1294, THE CHINA PRESS.

36968 A. 19.

DANCING: Private lessons in modern dances given by experienced lady: Fox trot, One step, Two step and Waltzes, etc., also private lessons given. Apply Miss White, 301B Avenue Joffre.

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APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED, room with bath and full board for couple with boy (seven). Western district, May 1st. Give full particulars. Apply to Box 89, THE CHINA PRESS.

37129 A 19

WANTED, furnished room, bath, use of kitchen. Western district, May 1st. Give full particulars. Apply to Box 90, THE CHINA PRESS.

37129 A 19

WANTED to rent, furnished (or unfurnished) room or flat with or without board. Apply to Box 4, THE CHINA PRESS.

36982

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37014 A. 14

COMPETENT and EXPERIENCED male stenographer prepared to undertake extra work after office hours. Apply to Box 86, THE CHINA PRESS.

37123 A 21

ELECTRIC ENGINEER, Pole, capable of taking care of electric installations, will be open for engagement from the 1st May. Please apply to Box 76, THE CHINA PRESS.

37101 A 20

LADY STENOGRAPHER open for temporary or part-time engagement. Apply to Box 84, THE CHINA PRESS.

37115 A 22

MADAME AH PAO, expert masseuse and manicurist, is open for engagements. Will massage and attend patients either at their own homes or at her residence. Charges very moderate. Visiting patients should go straight up to her office without inquiring of the brass coolies below as to whether she is in or not. Address, No. 1853 Bubbling Well Road, close to Chang Suho's garden, above Tang Wung Kee.

37118

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37128 A 24

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37136 A 21

Chinese, 28, with knowledge of electrical engineering, at present employed by his government, seeks change of position to business line. Graduated in the government electrical college. Had ten years' service in the telegraph, telephone and electric light works, and has taken charge as acting manager and comptroller of important telegraphs and telephones for some considerable time. Can supply references, testimony, or cash guarantee and offers no objection to outports and moderate salary. Apply to Box 1261, THE CHINA PRESS.

36899

A FOREIGN lady wishes to secure a position as housekeeper. Please apply to Box 54, THE CHINA PRESS.

37064.

YOUNG GERMAN, expert in fur business, is willing to take any job. Apply to Box 68, THE CHINA PRESS.

37082 A 20.

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37061 A. 19

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37025 A 21

COLLEGE GRADUATE, experienced in banking, bookkeeping, accounting, correspondence, translation, typewriting and general office routine, seeks improvement. Any position accepted Apply to Box 37, THE CHINA PRESS.

37033 A 22

Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 16

APARTMENTS

Connaught House
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TO LET one large room, with private bathroom, apply 14 Quinsan Gardens.

FLAT TO LET, with board. From 1st June nicely furnished flat of two large rooms, bathroom, in western district. Apply to Box 49, THE CHINA PRESS.

TO LET, one well furnished room, with board. Apply 20 Haskell Road.

37120 A 21

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37111 A 24

TO LET, in French concession, with board, one large well furnished room with bathroom and verandah attached, also one small furnished room. All modern conveniences. Tennis, garage if desired. Apply to Box 91, THE CHINA PRESS.

37133 A 20

LARGE, SUNNY, beautiful, furnished, double room, small verandah, private bath, geyser, telephone, best food in Shanghai, available May 1; references required. Elmonts 18 Quinsan Gardens.

37029.

ONE LARGE room with bathroom attached, hot water, enclosed verandah, with board. Phone North 2554.

37065 A.19

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37051 A. 22

TO LET, attic of two rooms, bathroom attached, with all conveniences, on Medhurst Road. Apply to Box 52, THE CHINA PRESS.

37062 A. 19

TO LET, in private French family, small bedroom, with full board, near French Park. Also attic room, reasonable price. Apply to Box 53, THE CHINA PRESS.

37063 A. 22

TO LET, large room with board, with an American family in Wayside district. Apply to Box 55, THE CHINA PRESS.

37068 A. 19.

TO LET, one large front room, with verandah and bathroom attached, facing the park, from 1st May. Apply 14 Quinsan Gardens. Tel. N 482.

TO LET, near French park, a large well-furnished room with verandah and bathroom, suitable for married couple. Apply to Box 16, THE CHINA PRESS.

37007 A 20

TO LET, a furnished or unfurnished room with bathroom attached, without board, in central district. Apply to Box 6, THE CHINA PRESS.

36984 A 19

TO LET, several nicely furnished rooms, with board, bath, all modern conveniences. No. 29 Range Road.

36835 A 19

TO LET, unfurnished, apartments of two rooms each, all improvements, rent reduced. Apply 51 Szechuen Road.

36814

FOR SALE

WILL sell grand piano. Can be seen morning. 16 Whangpoo Road.

LOST

LOST, small black cat. Finder return to 9A Hankow Road and receive reward.

37077 A 20.

EXCHANGE AND MART

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36681

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37125 A 21

FOR SALE, 500 I.H.P. inverted, compound, vertical, marine type steam engine complete, also two 250 K. W. R. rope-driven alternators and two eight-ton overhead travelling cranes suitable for cotton, woollen and paper mills. For full particulars, apply to Box 93, THE CHINA PRESS.

37135

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37137 A 21

WILL TRADE one fine 12-cylinder Packard, practically new, worth Tls. 8,000, for building lots in western district or Frenchtown. Apply, stating area and location, to Box 79, THE CHINA PRESS.

37109 A 21

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37107 A 24

FOR SALE, at a sacrifice, four new Pulsometer Steam Pumps, 1½" 2", 2½" and 3". Particularly adapted for contractors or mining work where a large quantity of gravel, rock or mud must be handled. Easily moved anywhere, no foundation required. Fool-proof. Immediate delivery. Standard Products Co. of China, 14 Canton Road. Shanghai.

37139 A. 24

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37078 A.23

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37053 A. 19

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37058 A. 22

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37037

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37004 A. 19

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37005 A 20

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36917 A. 21

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T. TSENG, Manager

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Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid up Capital	Frs. 50,000,000
Reserves	Frs. 15,978.00

Head Office: BRUSSELS
London Office. 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Paris Office: 2 Place de la Bourse
Branchs: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.
Agents:
(1) Manchester: 31 Mosley Street
(2) New York 22 William Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS,
Manager

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912

Capital subscribed:	£1,000,000
Capital paid up	£1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

SHANGHAI OFFICE
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S. Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchangee business transacted.

FUNG TSZ-KING,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital	$2,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	485,461.90

Head office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HSU, Manager.
SHU CHIH MIN, Sub-Manager.
MENG CHIA, T. D. Woo, Acting Sub-Manager.

滙海實業銀行
Hwei Hai Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Founded and organised by Chang Chien and Chang Cha 1919

Head Office:
NANTUNGCHOW
Shanghai Branch:
22 KIUKIANG ROAD

Capital $1,000,000

Tels: Managers' Office Cen. 5803
General Office: Cen. 5802

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

International Banking Corporation

Capital & Surplus:	G.$10,000,000
Undivided Profits:	G.$3,200,000

OWNED BY
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK.

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK

London Office: 36 Bishopsgate E. C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tologan
San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street

Branches:

China	Japan
Canton	Kobe
Hankow	Yokohama
Harbin	Java
Hongkong	Batavia
Peking	Sourabaya
Shanghai	Panama
Tientsin	Colon
Dominican Republic	Panama
Barahona	Philippine Islands
Puerto Plata	Cebu
San Pedro de Macoris	Manila
Sanchez	Spain
Santiago	Madrid
Santo Domingo	Barcelona
India	Straits Settlements
Bombay	Singapore
Calcutta	
Rangoon	

BRANCHES OF
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina	Italy
Buenos Aires	Genoa
Once (Buenos Aires)	Peru
Rosario	Lima
Belgium	Porto Rico
Antwerp	Ponce
Brussels	San Juan
Brazil	South Africa
Bahia	Cape Town
Pernambuco	Trinidad
Porto Alegre	Port of Spain
Rio de Janeiro	Uruguay
Santos	Montevideo
Sao Paulo	Calle Rondeau (Montevideo)
Chile	Venezuela
Santiago	Caracas
Valparaiso	Ciudad Boliva
Colombia	Maracaibo
Barranquilla	
Bogota	
Medellin	
Cuba	
Havana and 22 other cities in Cuba	

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager
1a Kiukiang Road.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised	Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed	„ 150,000,000
Capital paid up	„ 75,000,000
Reserves	„ 40,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by
THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTE

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS
BRANCHES:

Antwerp	Le Havre	Shanghai
Batavia	London	Singapore
Bordeaux	Lyons	Swatow
Canton	Marseilles	Tientsin
Dunquerque	Mukden	Tsinanfu
Foochow	New York	Vladivostock
Haiphong	Peking	Yokohama
Hankow	Pnom Penh	Yunnanfu
Hanoi	Rotterdam	
Hongkong	Saigon	

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Société Générale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.
Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts
Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency, Savings accounts and fixed deposits. Terms on application.
Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted.

B. ADAM,
Manager.
1 French Bund, Shanghai.

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business.

Y. M. CHIEN, Acting Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital:	Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds:	Guilders 17,353,284 (about £1,446,107)
Special Reserve:	Guilders 25,160,000 (about £2,096,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Banjermasin	Pekalongan
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kobe	Soerakarta
Kota-Radja	Tebing-Tinggi
Langsa	Tegal
Makassar	Telok Betong
Medan	Tjilatjap
Padang	Weltevreden

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Acting Manager.

The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Authorised Capital	$2,000,000
Paid up Capital	2,000,000
Resreve Fund	500,000

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

RUE CHENG,
Acting Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital	$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 133,316.00
Undivided Profits	$ 71,030.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, and Lanchi.
Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA'S principal Cities.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Fusan and Hongkong.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Deposits according to arrangements.

Saving Accounts at 4% compound interest.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

LI MING,
Manager.
SHANGHAI BRANCH,
U39 Peking Road.
Tel. C. 3145, Manager's Office
C. 2147, General Office
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK" Shanghai.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire.	16,000,000
Paid up Capital	Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000

Branches: Peking, S'hai, Tientsin
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano, Banca Italiana di Sconto, Banco di Roma.
London: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Credit Commercial de France.
United States: Italian Discount Co., Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga.
Switzerland. Banca Unione di Credito.
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Banksinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Rd.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
G. GIACHINO: ROBERT LEE
Managers.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1918
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 124,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
			Cincinati

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. Sun Manager
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

PARK-UNION FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

Capital G.$4,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits G.$754,000
HEAD OFFICE, 56 WALL ST., NEW YORK
BRANCHES:
SAN FRANCISCO SEATTLE
TOKYO PARIS YOKOHAMA
CANADA—400 branches of the Union Bank of Canada
Shanghai Branch: 7 Kiukiang Road, Tel. C. Nos. 5874 & 5875.
CURRENT & FIXED DEPOSITS

Accepted in Taels, Mexican Dollars, U. S. Dollars, Canadian Dollars, Sterling, on Application.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

F. V. REILLY,
Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

Capital	$ 1,000,000.00
Reserve	$ 200,000.00

Head Office: 9 Ningpo Road

CORRESPONDENTS ABROAD:

LONDON	NEW YORK	PARIS
BERLIN	AMSTERDAM	TOKYO
SEATTLE	SAN FRANCISCO	MANILA
CHICAGO	SINGAPORE	OSAKA

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

Kincheng Banking Coporation 行銀城金

Sanctioned by Ministry of Finance and registered in Ministry of Agriculture and Commerce in accordance with Banking and Company Laws.

Authorised Capital	$5,000,000
Paid-up Capital	$4,500,000
Surplus	$ 360,000

Head Office: Tientsin
Branches and Sub-Branches: Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Nanking and Peng-pu.
Correspondents in all important places of the world.
President: Chow Tso Ming.
Manager, Shanghai Branch: S. Y. Tien.
Sub-Manager, Shanghai Branch: C. C. Woo.
Every description of Banking Business transacted.
Savings Accounts kept in Tientsin and Shanghai Offices.
Cable Address. "Kincheng" Shanghai
Tel. Nos:
General Office: C. 3800
Managers' Office: C. 1350
Foreign Dept. C. 3440.

Singapore Rubber Auction

Singapore, April 1.—Following were the prices realised at our auction this week:

	Singapore per lb. Cents.
SHEET	
Singapore Standard Ribbed	33½/32¼
Off Quality Ribbed	32/22
Smoked Fine Plain	Nil
Smoked Good Plain	Nil
Unsmoked Fine Ribbed	Nil
Unsmoked Good Ribbed	Nil
Unsmoked Fine Plain	Nil
Unsmoked Good Plain	Nil
Cupwashing	12½
CREPE	
Singapore Standard First Latex	39
Off Color Latex	36½/26½
Fine Brown	25/19
Good Brown	19½/14
Good Dark	16/12
Barky	13/8
SCRAP	
Virgin and Pressed	Nil
Loose	Nil

Catalogued for sale: 2,192,050 lbs. (about 978 tons).

Offered: 2,099,628 lbs. (about 937 tons).

Sold: 1,010,841 lbs. (about 451 tons).

The local auctions were this week postponed till Thursday owing to the Easter holidays. Lack of advises from London made the tone of the market uncertain, and at the auctions there was only a moderate demand. Prices, however, show for some grades an improvement on the week.

Standard Ribbed Smoked Sheet sold up to 33½ cents, marking an advance of 1 cent. This price was only paid for two lots, however, and the average prices were 33 to 32½ cents.

Off Quality Sheet slightly below standard found ready buyers, whereas inferior grades of Ribbed Smoked Sheet were rather neglected.

Standard First Latex Crepe sold at 39 cents, only one lot (not awarded) changing hands at this figure.

Very little interest was taken in Off Color Latex, and only poor prices were obtainable.

Brown, Dark and Barky Crepes were not in great demand either, but prices remained on an average at last week's level.

At the continuation this morning, there was a rather poor attendance, the London market being reported dull.

N. B.—The above prices for Standard Quality Sheet and Crepe are only paid for small lots at the auctions, whereas bigger quantities in the outside market generally fetch from 1 cent to 1½ above these figures.

Meyer and Measor.

Passengers Departed

Per C.M. s.s. Kiangwah for Hankow: Miss D. Daires, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Webb, Mrs. Treman, Messrs. L. K. Hall, C. R. Scott, E. M. Robinson, L. E. McLachlin, J. C. Clarke, Blackstone, H. Webb, R. Webb, Yih.

Per I-C. s.s. Tungshing for Swatow: Mr. J. R. Radcliff; for Hongkong: Mr. J. McIlveen.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

(Formerly Commercial and Industrial Bank of China)

Established by American and Chinese Capitalists under Special Charter of the Government of China issued April 12th, 1919.

Authorised Capital	G.$10,000,000
Paid-up Capital	5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:
198 Hsi Ho Yen, Peking
President:
The Honorable Chien Nen-shun.
American Vice-President:
James A. Thomas, Esq., Peking.
Chinese Vice President:
Hsu Un-yuan, Esq., Peking.
NEW YORK AGENTS:
The Chase National Bank, The American Foreign Banking Corporation, and Hayden, Stone & Co.
Branches in China:
Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Shihkiachwang, Tsinau, Harbin and agents in important cities.
Manila Branch:
Manila, P. I.

Current Accounts opened on usual terms. Fixed Deposits received at rates to be ascertained on application. Drafts issued and Telegraphic Transfers made. Foreign exchanges bought and sold. Commercial and Circular Letters of Credit issued. Bills, Checks, and other Documents collected. Purchase and Sale of Stocks and Bonds effected. Every description of General Banking Business transacted.

The Bank is closely associated with a number of the leading Financial Institutions in the United States and also prominent Chinese Capitalists in China, and is prepared to give financial facilities and to assist its clients in initiating and developing solid commercial and industrial undertakings in China.

Your account will be welcomed at this Bank, where you are assured of absolute security and the most courteous service.

Shanghai Branch:
N. 11 Nanking Road.
Tel. Central Nos. 5841, 5842.
E. KANN, Manager.
LOUIS SHEN, Assistant Manager,
SOOYII K. SHEN, Assistant Manager.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidental Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital	$12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund	$1,298,522.60
Special Reserve Fund	$1,898,293.62

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka, Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG.
Manager.
Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Siccawei Weather Reports

17.—The high pressures are invading China from the N.W. The depression crosses the Yellow Sea towards Japan, surrounded by cyclonic circulation of winds. Nearly no gradient on the Pacific between the Loochoos the Philippines and the Carolines. Variable breezes in the South. The weather improves and clears up gradually.

18.—Fine and cool weather. The pressure is above the average and rather steady. N.N.W. breezes.

-:- Financial And Commercial News -:-

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Prices

Stock Banks	Quotations Closing
H. K. and S. B..	$865
Chartered	£71½
Russo-Asiatic ..	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	H.$452½ S.
North China	Tls. 153
Union of Canton .	H.$277 B.
Yangtsze	$25½ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 23 S.
Fire Insurances	
China Fire	H.$126 B.
Hongkong Fire ..	H.$327 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def. .	H.$265 B.
Indo-China Pref..	H.$30 B.
"Shell"	100/– B.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 43
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 30 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 30
Oriental Cons. ...	17/–
Raub	H.$0.75 B.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock .	H.$216 B.
Shanghai Dock ..	Tls. 144 B.
New Eng. Works.	Tls. 15 B.
" Pref. .	Tls. 4-35 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf .	Tls. 133 B.
Hongkong Wharf.	Tls. 102 S.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 80 B.
Shanghai Land ..	Tls. 78
Weihaiwei Land .	Tls. 3
S'hai Hotel Ltd. .	Tls. 65 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty pref.	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 360 B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 97½
Laou-kung-mow .	Tls. 20
Oriental	Tls. 14 B.
Shanghai Cotton .	Tls. 121 B.
Kungyik	Tls. 87 B.
Yangtszepoo ...	Tls. 23 B.
Yangtszepoo Pref.	Tls. 97
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 235 B.
Green Island	Tls. 14½ B.
Langkats	Tls. 13
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra ...	Tls. 125
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	$10 B.
Llewellyn	$30
Lane, Crawford..	$88 B.
Moutrie	$40
Watson	H.$7.00
Weeks	$12 B.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 3 B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.20
Anglo-Java	Tls. 5.60 B.
Anglo-Dutch ...	Tls. 2½
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 20
Batu Anam 1918.	Tls. 0.30 B.
Bukit Toh Alang.	Tls. 1¼ B.
Bute	Tls. 0.60
Chemor United ..	Tls. 0.40 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 4
Cheng	Tls. 1½
Consolidated ...	Tls. 1.30 B.
Dominion	Tls. 3½
Gula Kalumpong.	Tls. 4½ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 7
Kamunting	Tls. 1½ B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.10
Kapayang	Tls. 10
Karan	Tls. 7
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.50 B.
Kroewoek Java .	Tls. 6½ B.
Padang	Tls. 6 S.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 3
Permata	Tls. 0.50 B.
Repah	Tls. 0.50
Samagaga	Tls. 0.45
Seekee	Tls. 1
Semambu	Tls. 0.45 B.
Senawang	Tls. 3½
S'hai Klebang ...	Tls. 0.30 B.
Shanghai Malay .	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref..	Tls. 5 B.
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1
Sungala	Tls. 0.50
Sungei Duri	Tls. 4½ B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3½
S'hai Kalantan ..	Tls. 0.55
S'hai Seremban .	Tls. 0.60
Taiping	Tls. 0.60
Tanah Merah ...	Tls. 0.25 B.
Tebong	Tls. 8
Ulobri	Tls. 2½
Ziangbe	Tls. 2½ B.
Miscellaneous	
C.I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 9½ B.
Shanghai Trams .	Tls. 105
Shanghai Gas ...	Tls. 26½ B.
Horse Bazaar ...	Tls. 40½
Shanghai Mercury	Tls. 25
S'hai Telephone .	Tls. 87 B.
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 120

S. Sellers. Sa. Sales. B. Buyers.

Benjamin and Potts, 8 Jinkee Rd.

Telephone No. Central 398

The Small Investors' Co.

8A Peking Road, Shanghai

Shanghai, April 18, 1921

BUSINESS REPORTED

Oriental Cottons Tls. 14.50
New Engineering Tls. 15.25
Far Eastern Insce. Tls. 22.75
Docks Tls. 145.00
H. & S. Banks $865.00
Yangtsze Insce. Tls. 26.00

DOUGLAS FLEMING, Manager.

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, April 18, 1921

Exchange and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate,
@ 3/2½ = Tls. 6.23
@ exch. 72.6 = Mex. $8.59

Gold Dollars: Bank buying rate
@ 63¼ = Tls. 1.58
@ exch. 72.6 = Mex. $2.18

Mex. Dollars: Market Rate: 72.3625

Shanghai Gold Bars: 978 touch Tls. 353

Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111

Copper Cash .... per tael 2,028

Native Interest ..... Tls. 04

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 34½d.
Bank Rate of Discount 7%
Ex., Paris on London Fr. 54.77
Ex New York on London T/T G.$393¼

Exchange Closing Quotations

London	T.T.	3/2½
London	Demand	3/2¾
India	T.T.	244½
Paris	T.T.	885
Paris	Demand	888
New York	T.T.	63
New York	Demand	63¼
Hongkong	T.T.	75½
Japan	T.T.	76½
Batavia	T.T.	187½
Singapore	T.T.	72¾

Bank's Closing Buying Rates

London	Demand	3/4¼
London	4 m-s. Cdts.	3/5½
London	4 m-s. Docy.	3/6
London	6 m-s. Cdts.	3/6¾
London	6 m-s. Docy.	3/7¼
Paris	4 m-s.	985
New York ...	o/d. Docy.	66
New York ..	4 m-s. Docy.	70¾

Tourists' Exchange

@ Bank's Demand Buying Rates

£10 @ exch. 3/4¼ = Sh. Tls. 59.63
G.$50 @ exch. 66 = Sh. Tls. 75.76
Fr. 250 @ exch. 935 = Sh. Tls. 26.74

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Shanghai Cotton Tls. 121.00 Tls. 121.50
Shanghai Docks Tls. 144.50 Tls. 145.00

Ziangbe Rubber Co., Ltd

Tapping restrictions, the low market price of rubber, and the cheapened valuations placed upon unsold stocks were quoted at yesterday's annual meeting of the Ziangbe Rubber Co., Ltd., as the foremost depressants in the rubber industry. The meeting was held at the offices of the secretaries and general managers, Messrs. J. A. Wattie and Co., at 24a, Kiangse Road, Mr. A. J. Wekehm chairman of the directorate presided, supported by Directors J. H. McMichael, R. S. F. McBain and J. V. C. Davis, and for the Secretaries, Mr. C. T. L. Stewart. Shares totaling 29,956 were represent.

The following resolutions were passed:

That the directors' report and statement of accounts as presented be passed. Proposed by the chairman and seconded by Mr. J. H. McMichael.

That the appointment of Mr. J. V. C. Davis as a director of the company be confirmed. Proposed by Mr. J. A. Sudka, and seconded by Mr. R. S. F. McBain.

That Mr. J. H. McMichael be re-elected a director of the company Proposed by Mr. S. S. Nazer, and seconded by Mr. J. V. C. Davis.

That Messrs. Lowe, Bingham and Matthews be elected auditors to the company for the ensuing year Proposed by Mr. J. A. Sudka, and seconded by Mr. S. S. Nazer.

The chairman's speech.

"Gentlemen: The planted area of the estates remains the same as last year, but had it not been for the restriction placed upon the output of rubber during the concluding months of the year the area in bearing on Bandoe Ardjo Estate would have been increased by 218 acres.

"Thinning out continued on both the estates during the year and a total of 26,892 trees were removed. The visiting agent reports that the effect of the thinning out that has already been done has been most beneficial to the trees which are nof practically free from all disease.

"The output of rubber fell short of the estimate by no less than 273,000 lbs., there were several causes that contributed to this result. Firstly 1920 was the wettest year in the history of the company, and the abundant rainfall, besides causing much damage to roads and watercourses, resulted in a very material loss of late on the days when rain fell during the mornings.

"Secondly early in the year the visiting agent found that on Kali Minggir Estate the bark was not being renewed as satisfactorily as he would have liked and consequently, in order to prevent any permanent damage being done to the trees he decided to adopt for a time a very conservative tapping system and gave instructions that four months the trees were to be tapped on only one quarter of their circumference and at a height of between three and a half and five feet from the ground, after this period tapping was resumed lower down but still on only one quarter of the tree.

OUTPUT REDUCED

"The result of this action was naturally a very large reduction in the output but the lighter tapping was extremely beneficial to the trees which are now reported to be in first class condition and yielding splendidly.

"In November owing to the restriction of output 17,500 trees on the same estate were rested for two months, these trees were brought into the tapping rounds again in January with most gratifying results as regards the flow of latex.

"This large curtailment of output naturally affected the cost of production, which you will have seen from the report, was nearly five and a half pence per pound higher on Kali Minggir Estate than it was in 1919.

"Owing to the continued state of acute depression in the rubber market restriction of output is still in force, but every effort is being made by those in charge of the estates to reduce expenditure to the absolute minimum compatible with efficiency and I hope that in spite of the smaller harvests that we expect for 1921, the cost for the year will show a material reduction on the 1920 figures.

"The quality of the rubber manufactured by Bandie Ardjo Estate gave considerable trouble early in the year and it was nfially found that this was due to the large quantity of chalk in the water that was being used.

"A well was accordingly bored in another position and a small motor, a pump and the necessary piping were purchased to convey the water to the factory; the rubber now being produced is reported to be fully up to standard.

"Labor was difficult throughout the year. On Bandoe Ardji estate, thanks to having a large resident labor force there were always sufficient coolies obtainable but the rates of pay had to be raised by about 30 percent in order to meet the competition from neighboring estates; on Kali Minggir there was at all times a sufficiency of tappers but other labor was difficult to secure owing to the government paying higher wages for coolies to work on the new high road that it is building in the vicinity of the estate.

"The gardens on both estates are reported to be in first class condition, lallang was troublesome to keep down on Kali Minggir, but this has always been the case with this estate as it is surrounded by large tracts of this weed the seeds from which are constantly blowing into the gardens.

LOW MARKET CAUSES LOSS

"Turning now to the accounts you will see that the working account shows a loss of Guilders 23,435.57 as compared with a profit last year of Guilders 554,520. This disappointing result is entirely attributable to the acute depression in the rubber market and the resultant extremely low value placed upon the unsold stock of rubber at the end of the year.

This stock which amounted to 530,954 lbs. was, for the purposes of the accounts, valued at 30 cents per pound or say six pence. Every penny per pound that the stock realises over this price will reduce the loss by Guilders 26,500.

"The profit and loss account shows a loss of Guilders 80,755.38 but this includes the agency fees, selling commission and interest paid to the Shanghai company, eliminating these items the net loss on the year's working is Guilders 36,847.59.

"Capital expenditure during the year amounted to only f.19,702.44 the bulk of which was for new buildings and new machinery, details of which are given in the report.

"As regards the financial position of the company you will see from the balance sheet that at the end of the year the liquid assets of the Dutch company exceeded the cash liabilities by Guilders 90,389.79 or say the equivalent of Taels 48,000; in the Shanghai company's accounts the liabilities exceed the assets by Taels 6,846.18 so that the net result is that the company started the new year with a surplus of liquid assets of approximately Taels 41,000 a large portion of which, however, is represented by unsold stocks of rubber."

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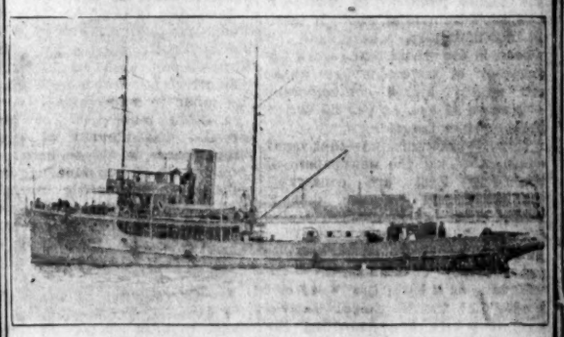

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SHANGHAI, APRIL 19, 1921

WEATHER

Rather fine and cool weather in our regions. Northerly winds South of the Saddles. Variable breezes in the North. Rough weather to the Southeast of Japan.

MARRIAGE

HEAL-FIFIELD: At the British Legation Chapel, Peking, on April 16, 1921, Arthur Joseph Heal, third son of Mr. and Mrs. James A. Heal, of Shanghai, to Winifred Eve Fifield, of Toronto, Canada.

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DEATH

BARWISE: On the 17th April, 1921, at The General Hospital, Shanghai, John Barwise, of Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., Engineering Department, aged 32 years. The funeral will take place at the Bubbling Well Cemetery today, the 19th April, at 4.30 p.m. All friends are invited to attend.

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"Our Monopoly"

UNDER the above caption, our contemporary The North-China Daily News, charges us with making comment, far from the facts, on the method of publication and distribution of the Municipal Gazette. While denying that it has a monopoly in the Gazette, our contemporary says that it has "one of circulation only, which has been built up by a consistent regard for accuracy of statement."

The North China Daily News states that it prints the Gazette for the Council at a reasonable charge, distributing it to the total ratepayers from lists supplied by the Council. In addition to this, other copies are printed at the expense of the paper itself, and distributed without charge to the readers. It is claimed that "6,000 odd" copies are printed in all.

Notwithstanding our contemporary's "consistent regard for accuracy of statement," we wish to point out that, until THE CHINA PRESS made a strong stand in the matter some years ago, the publication of the Municipal Gazette was a monopoly of the North-China Daily News in more ways than one. It was only as the result of strenuous efforts that the Municipal Council instructed our contemporary to supply THE CHINA PRESS and other local papers with printers' proofs of the Gazette the night prior to publication, in order that the thousands of readers of those papers might be placed on a par with those of the North-China Daily News.

The North-China Daily News denies, therefore, that it has any monopoly in the Municipal Gazette, and accuses us of making comment far from the facts. It seems strange, under the circumstances, that in the 1920 edition of the 'Advertisers' A. B. C., published by T. B. Browne, Ltd., London, we should be able to find the following statement in an advertisement of the North-China Daily News: "Is considerably the largest newspaper, both in size and circulation in the Far East. *It is the official medium for giving publicity to municipal and business notices, etc.*" If there is no monopoly, where, and oh where, is the "consistent regard for accuracy of statement" on which our silvery haired contemporary (70 years of age, as per advertisement) prides itself?

Now, as to circulation—that vexed question where the newspapers of the Far East are concerned. Our contemporary claims that it really has a monopoly where circulation is concerned, a monopoly built up by a "consistent regard for accuracy of statement." We will take as a basis the "6,000 odd copies" of the Municipal Gazette that it prints, and deducting the 2196 registered electors (the latest figures available), we find that in accordance with its own statement, the North-China Daily News has a circulation of about 3,800.

(An incautious reader might fall into the error of thinking that the actual circulation is 6,000, but our figures will put him right!)

Taking the figures quoted, THE CHINA PRESS is once more able to state that it has the largest circulation of any newspaper in the English language in the Far East, and, as we have stated for some weeks past, advertisers whose monthly account with us exceeds the sum of $100 may inspect our circulation book, if they so desire, on the understanding that the same request be made by them to other local newspapers.

THE CHINA PRESS will celebrate its tenth birthday in August of this year. Although at the commencement of its career it was given "six months' rope," it has steadily grown in popular favor, for it has consistently refused to be tied by hide-bound traditions and has made its sole aim the presentation of live, up-to-date news, comment and illustrations to its thousands of readers. Those members of the public who are fond of delving into antiquity are asked to take an issue of our contemporary published in August, 1911 and compare it with one published during the month of April, 1921. Imitation is the sincerest form of flattery, and therefore we do not pass strictures on our contemporary (which has passed its 70th birthday) for having adopted during the last few years, through force of competition, some of the features which have helped to make THE CHINA PRESS so popular. In return, all we ask from our contemporary is the actual carrying into effect of the "consistent regard for accuracy of statement" of which it boasts, but in which, to our regret, we find it lacking.

THE MUNICIPAL GAZETTE

(From Last Night's Mercury)

We have more than once applied to the Municipal Council to supply us with the Municipal Gazette to enclose in each number of this paper, but we were informed that we would have to pay for it. The cost for each copy, if we remember rightly, was to be ten cents. To this we objected. The Municipal Gazette is given to one paper only to print and distribute. Proof sheets are sent to all the papers on the night before the Municipal Gazette is published, but these proofs are received after we go to press and therefore only the most interesting matter is used on the following day. . . . We refer to this subject, not because we blame our senior morning contemporary for getting all they can, but to let our readers know why the Shanghai Mercury does not contain the Municipal Gazette. We are of opinion that ways and means could be found whereby the Municipal news could be more widely known and money saved the ratepayers.

Chang Tso-lin Moves

THE political situation in North China is due for a change. This change will be effected by no one other than Chang Tso-lin, whom a Japanese politician has styled as "the barometer of Japanese policy in China" and whose sudden arrival in Tientsin is reported by Reuters.

All Peking is waiting nervously for the orders of the Fengtien war lord like a naughty schoolboy hearing the approaching foot steps of his teacher. The President has dispatched his brother, Hsu Shih-chwang, as well as his Chief Secretary, Wu Chi-sen, to welcome him to the Capital. The Cabinet is deserted. With the exception of Dr. W. W. Yen, the Foreign Minister and those physically indisposed, mentally invalided or financially disabled, all have proceeded to Tientsin to curry his favor. Indeed it was even reported that Premier Chin was going there himself in view of the delicacy of his own position.

That the existence of the present Cabinet has been a question hanging fire between the Fengtien and Chihli camps cannot be denied. But Chang's mission is also aimed at other important subjects:

1.—The election of Sun Yat-sen as the President of the South China Republic, making Chin Yung-peng's cherished dream of a united China more remote than ever.

2.—The creation of the new Tuchuns' League in Central China under the doyenship of Wang Chuan-yuan of Hupeh. Though a new Military Combine, it is giving the Northern Chief no small amount of anxiety.

3.—The much-proscrastinated Mongolian Expedition which Chang Tso-lin and his rival, Tsao Kun, do not wish to undertake themselves but which each wishes the other to undertake.

4.—The much-discussed plans for the disarmament of superfluous troops in the country. Although both Chang and Tsao have refrained from openly opposing the scheme for the curtailment of forces, each has been recruiting troops and increasing his military power to the envy of the other.

5.—Curtailment of administrative expense by disallowing officials to hold concurrent offices. The impossibility of this scheme is conspicuous when we consider that the Premier himself holds the War Portfolio, while Chang Tso-lin is Inspector-General of the Three Eastern Provinces as well as Tuchun of Fengtien and Tsao Kun, Inspector-General of Chihli, Shantung and Honan as well as Tchun of the first named province.

6.—The establishment of aviation bureaus in Mukden and Paotingfu. It will be remembered that the Handley-Page machines formerly owned by the Ministry of Communication under Tseng Yu-tsing's administration, were divided up by Chang and Tsao after the fall of the Anfuites. The old-fashioned planes used by the Nanyuan Aviation, School met with the same fate. One half of these went to Mukden and the other to Paotingfu. With these two separate bureaus under direct control of the Chihli and Fengtien war-lords have been organised. One of the important questions that will come up is how many machines, secured by the Aeronautical Department under the Vickers loan and intended for the commercial air services in China, are going to be alloted to these bureaus?

Coming back to the Cabinet crisis, with which most of the other questions are connected, the same element of self-aggrandisement so peculiar to Chinese officialdom enters. It is a matter of two militant politicians each trying to place his own protege in an influential position and then dictate to him. With Ching Yung-peng the two war lords had been successful do a certain extent, but no servant can serve two masters and this is where Chin has failed.

Chin's removal has been contemplated by both for sometime, but failure to pick the right man has delayed action. The issue may be settled in Tientsin. The Chihli faction still insists on the appointment of Wang Shih-cheng, their leader who is not acceptable to Chang Tso-lin. Chang favored Liang Shih-yi once but the latter's alleged pro-American attitude is said to have offended the Japanese, hence Chang is content to allow Chin to remain in his post.

But it is impossible for Chin to maintain the status quo of his cabinet for the present. The Minister of Education, Fan Yuan-lien, is determined not to resume his post in spite of earnest appeals from the President and Chin. Financial stringency has driven Admiral Sah (Navy), Tung Kang (Justice) and Chou Tsze-chi (Finance) out of their offices and it is unlikely that any of them will return to their posts unless some substantial financial arrangement is made.

A reorganisation of the highest executive organ is therefore eminent and Chang is in Tientsin to do it. He has already met Tsao, according to the Chinese press, and held a lengthy conference on the above questions. The gulf between the views of the two is far and wide and no solution seems possible at the present.

Wang Tsan-yuen, the strong man of Central China, has been invited to go up to Tientsin.

Correspondence

RATEPAYERS AND THE MUNICIPAL GAZETTE

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir.—I am not one who rushes into print very often, but on reading your editorial in today's issue, I find one statement, or possibly I might say misstatement, which I take the liberty of correcting, and that is in regard to a portion of your remarks on the subject of the Municipal Gazette. In the main I agree with your remarks, especially as to the quality of the Gazette. In your last paragraph however you write as follows:

"Many ratepayers do not take the newspaper which has the Gazette monopoly, and do not want to be forced to take it. In fact they go without the Gazette rather than subscribe to the paper. They are forced by the Council either to take the paper in question or to go without the Gazette."

In explanation of my position in the matter I may say that I am a ratepayer who does not take the newspaper above mentioned, and yet ever since I have become a ratepayer, some seven or eight years ago, I have been receiving the weekly copy of the Gazette, which is sent to me, I presume because I am a ratepayer, and as far as I know for no other reason.

As stated above I agree in the main with your other remarks in regard to the character of the Gazette, but felt that your incorrect statement of a fact should be brought to your attention. Possibly the matter has already been brought before you from other sources.

Trusting that your sense of justice will have the correction made, I am, Sincerely Yours,

H. H. M.

April 16, 1921.

(Editor's note: We know of at least one ratepayer who is not a subscriber to the newspaper in question to whom the Municipal Gazette is not delivered separately. Are there any others? In any event the point made by our correspondent is unimportant inasmuch as it does not affect the principle of monopoly which was the basis of our editorial. Why should one newspaper be favored at the expense of the other four?)

IN REPLY TO "CONSTABLE"

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Sir: Reference article contributed by "Constable" in your issue of this morning, I think I cannot let it pass unchallenged, and am therefore requesting the liberty of your columns to comment on the subject under discussion.

Aside from any partiality, I believe his remark that J. V. P. is either a fool or a liar is rather too harsh, as a careful perusal of J. V. P.'s letter will show that the latter when broaching on the expensiveness of maintaining the Police Force, was not driving at one particular rank but in general. I for one think that J. V. P.'s correspondence does not call for such unkind remarks. Of course, it is beyond dispute J. V. P. is quite unfair, for the Police are not to blame if they receive princely salaries, etc., but this does not justify the severe criticism of "Constable."

I would certainly have refrained from poking my nose into this affair, had I not been taken aback by Constable's statement concerning the Indian and Native "ZING BOO." I have always been under the impression that policemen are employed as guardians of the settlement, and have never known until Constable in an indirect way, indicated that the *main duty* of the Foreign Staff is to search for and beat out the Sleepy-headed Indian and Native police slackers from some secluded part of the city, and impress upon their minds that "Duty is before Pleasure." I would like to know, whether Constable before passing judgment over the Indians and Natives, did consider a question that may be put to him. Can he honestly guarantee that there are none in his own class who are neck and neck competitors, so to speak? Dear Readers, I feel almost positive that every one of you, without exception, will agree with me in saying that it is absolutely unjust if we condemn a society just because several of the members are not up to standard. If as Constable states, the Indian and Native Force are either idling or sleeping in some house, and the Foreign Staff are busily engaged in looking for these duty shirkers, then it must have been that the Public are after the thieves and law-breakers and not the Police, as no one can conscientiously do two things at the same time. If such is the case, then why on earth, are the Police here? We might as well go without any! I cannot but think that Constable must have overlooked that in most cases exceptions exist in a rule.

In closing, I will say that I am of the opinion that Constable in his excitement to vent his feelings against J. V. P. did not for the moment realise that he was doing a great injustice to many a good and trustworthy employee of the Police Department in general.

Yours truly,
TERCO

April 16, 1921.

Smiles

WHY NOT BE GENEROUS?

Conceited people wouldn't be so obnoxious if they were not always trying to take the conceit out of others.

A COMMON MISTAKE

It frequently happens that a man thinks he is a reformer when he is merely jealous because other people enjoy themselves.

THE SUNNY SIDE

There's a sunny side to the darkest road
On the difficult journey of life;
There are golden hours when we slip off the load
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* * *

Yet some queer folk seem to like the gloom
And the discord of strain and stress;
They look upon life as a step to the tomb
And the world as a wilderness.

* * *

Life's much what we make it; then let us steep
Our hearts in the joys that last,
And if sorrow assails us we still may keep
The gold of glad days that are past.

—Helen Sevrez.

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GREAT BRITAIN'S IDEAL

The miners recently addressed the Prince of Wales, and asked him to use his magnetism to bring about a fair settlement to the present trouble. Perhaps they remember that

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THE MINISTRY OF WASTE

(The following is an interview that took place between Sir Reckless Spender and Mr. Luce Bockhart.)

I found Sir Reckless Spender engaged in sipping a million dollar cocktail. When I entered he said in his trenchant way "Well what do you want?"

I said that I had come to find out a few details about the department over which he presided. I pointed out that at the present rate of exchange, I thought that both the monkey house and the contemplated palace for that bear might be shelved for a season as the public—

"The public," he snapped—but then thinking better of it he asked me to take the armchair, and pointed to a footstool upon which I might rest my weary feet. "Now sir, and what can I do for you?" he asked.

Again I asked if I could be allowed to question him upon the money he spent and to hear just where he got it.

He said "My dear fellow, we have a big bunch of ratepayers, and they are quite willing to do what they can to keep us all in clover. As far as they are concerned they don't worry their heads as to where we squander the money—there are a few beastly exceptions who will butt in just when we are expecting an extra two percent on everything ratepayers possess, and I believe you are one of them—well sir, take my advice, you know Kipling as well as I do so just 'Pay, pay, pay, and then grin."

"You want to know what we do with your money? Surely that is impertinence on your part. Look at this delightful building that we are erecting. Why already we have inhabited part of it, and we hope that within the next few years—anyhow before the next census is taken, that we shall practically have finished it. It isn't as comfortable at present as it will be, but when the rents go higher, and our rates correspond then we hope to be able to entertain our visitors nicely."

Of course we pay very high salaries, and our motor cars are costing us a little bit more than formerly. You must understand that it is impossible for our employers to get to work in time unless we can provide suitable means of transport. Again, I hear that some of you Bolsheviks are objecting to the number of foreign police that we have. Really you are very silly. Suppose we had a depleted foreign force, what would you do when it came to the final of the Skottowe Cup—well, I ask you? And note, that if we must have police to keep things moving, we must also have nice billiard tables to keep the boys at home, and cars to carry the inspectors from beat to beat. We are at present contemplating supplying every policeman with either a motor cycle or a skotter. It will help them to fulfil their engagements more readily. And why shouldn't the taxgatherers have carriages. If they get all we ask them to get out of you, a rickshaw would never hold the taels.

"When it comes to the heads of different departments it is essential that their salaries should increase monthly. Most of the clubs are putting up their subscriptions, and we must be members; otherwise what on earth should we have to do? So now you see that we really do need a lot more money, and I hope that when we ask for it again, will you forget that monkey house, and Betty the bear, and let the dear ratepayer pay. Good morning, sir."

At the end of this flow of eloquence, I stumbled out of the room, called for a wheel-barrow and was taken to my little back yard in Pootung.

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A TONGUE TWISTER

After that interview, try and repeat as quickly as possible Mr. Wilkie Bard's latest tongue twister:

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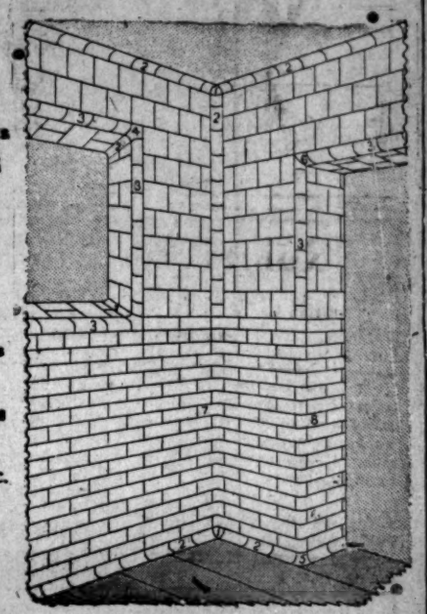

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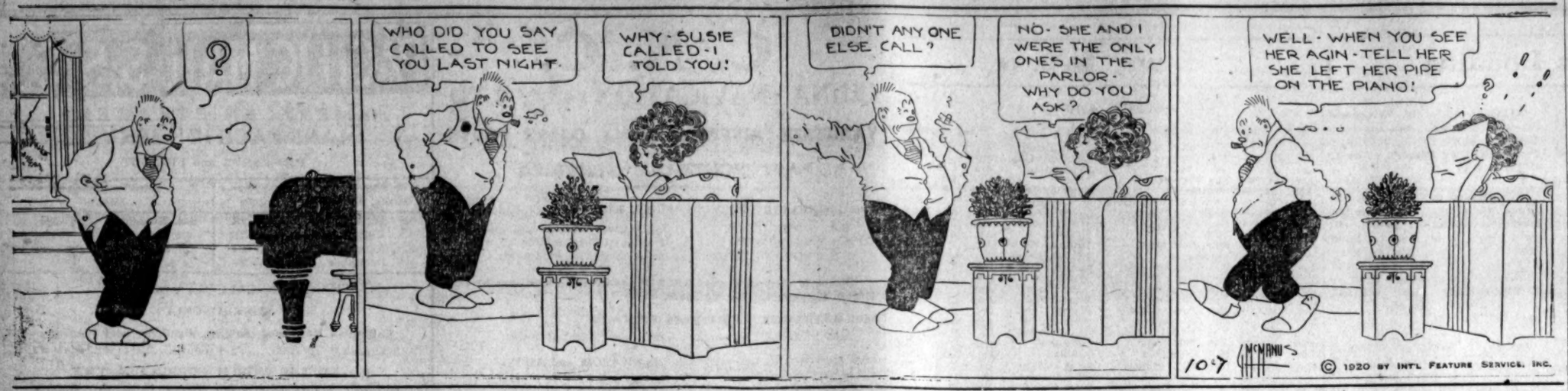
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'Ruined By The Peace'

British Labor's Denunciatio n Of The Treaty And The Proposed German Indemnity

(The Parliamentary Committee of the British Trade Congress and the Executive Committee of the Labor Party, representing more than 5,000,000 workers, has adopted the following manifest):

All Europe has been impoverished by the war, and parts of it have been ruined by the peace. Millions of our former customers are too poor to trade with us, and deliberate policy in the case of Russia has aggravated both their distress and their isolation.

We are now faced in the indemnity terms with a demand for an immense tribute from German industry which must reduce still further the capacity of the German population to consume our goods.

Our exports to Germany, measured at pre-war prices, were last year worth less than an eighth of what we sent to her in the year before the war.

We shipped directly last year to German, Russian, and Austro-Hungarian ports less than one-tenth of what we sent out to them in 1913. That decrease alone would suffice to account for most of the present unemployment.

WANTON RUSSIAN BLOCKADE

In this general impoverishment, which by ruining our customers has thrown our workers idle, there is something worse than the inevitable waste of wealth caused by the war. The blockade of Russia was a wanton act of policy. In clause after clause the Peace Treaties have completed the ruin which the war began.

Austria was dismembered, but Paris forgot to arrange for trade between the surrendered parts and cut off great towns and once thriving industries from their former supplies of coal.

Germany was bidden (quite properly) to work in order that reparations might be earned, but the Treaty which imposed this obligation took her mercantile marine, deprived her of three-fourths of her iron-ore, diminished her supply of industrial coal, and closed down the banks and businesses by which alone she can trade abroad.

Humanity as well as self-interest moves us to protest, for the figures of child mortality in Central Europe mean that it is the children who will pay in flesh and blood.

'SWAMP WORLD MARKETS'

As a Labor movement, we feel bound to regard the indemnity from the standpoint of the workers, alike in the country which receives it and in the country which pays. It can be paid only in exports of goods, which will come here without calling forth any answering goods by way of payment. That means further disturbance to our industry.

Again, if Germany is to pay, she must desist for forty-two years from buying any but absolutely necessary goods abroad. That means that our market cannot be recovered, and consequently unemployment. The swamping of the world's market with what are virtually prison-made goods will confront our own workers with an unprecedented form of competition.

We do not believe, however, that this indemnity at the figures fixed in Paris can be paid. There is at present no surplus of German exports over imports, but actually a deficit, nor is there an evident prospect of a surplus under present conditions.

It is unthinkable that Europe can exist as an armed camp for 42 years while the effort is made to extort this impossible tribute.

We hold as strongly, however, that, given some breathing space and a drastic revision of the economic clauses of the Treaty, Germany could make good the actual devastation.

CAN REPAIR DAMAGE

The damage done to France must first of all be repaired, and we should prefer that, so far as French sentiment and interests will allow, this should be done with German materials. No British claim is so urgent as this. We hold that the indemnity bill has been swollen by charges which cannot be reconciled with the pre-Armistice terms, and these actually compromise the just French claim.

Only a legal casuist could read into the phrase, 'damage done to the civilian population of the Allies and to their property by the aggression of Germany by land, by sea, and from the air," and obligation on the Germans to repay to the Allies Exchequers the sums spent on penions and dependents' allowances.

The straightforward reading of the terms on which Germany surrendered would lead to a more modest total for the bill.

But the first step is to restore the ruined industry of the Continent, and to set going, not one-sided payments, but an active exchange of goods. That involves, however, the drastic revision of the economic sections of all the Peace Treaties and the conclusion of a sincere peace with Russia.

Holding as we do that our present crisis of unemployed is the direct outcome of a suicidal foreign policy, we call not merely for a reconsideration of the indemnity demands, but for a reversal of the whole line of the Allies' conduct towards Central Europe and Russia.

By George Ade

The Fable Of The Knowing Pal Who Tipped Off Her Star Recipe

In a shady Street there dwelt two Flappers who had their Traps set and baited.

"Come on, Boys!" is what it said over the Door. They were at the Age when they lived on Nut Sundaes and Thrills. All respectable Males who could talk back and who kept their Hair combed were more than welcome.

One of the Girls was a grand little Piece of Work and she had a slew of uppetty-up accomplishments but for some reason her Turnstile did not check as many Visitors as that of her Chum across the Way.

The other Girl might not have copped off many prizes at a Beauty Contest and it had been remarked that her Piano-Playing was Punkadora and yet she caught a majority of the Fussers.

One Day as the two Friends were chatting, the one who had the Looks let out a Bleat.

"Why is it," she asked, "that you continue to stand Ace High with a lot of the Lads who seem to have passed me up! I know I am counted more of a Beaut than you; my Musical Education cost twice as much and I have got you sewed up in a Sack when it comes to Correct English, yet you draw the Bunch. Where do I Stub my Toe?"

WHY SHE LOST OUT

"Dearie, I hate to let anyone else in on a Snap, but I suppose I must," replied her Companion. "I will admit that as a Grammarian you are a Peachamaroot, but do you ever stop to consider the Topics that you spring on your Young Men?

"You sit in front of them and you tell them what a Bother it is to Shop all Afternoon and what Girls you saw downtown and what a Time your Mamma has been having about a Second Girl and how Grace said something that just made the other Girls shriek.

"For a whole Evening you Trombone about your own Affairs. Of course, Common Politeness requires the Gentleman to throw on the Fixed Smile and pretend to Follow you, but he is Bored to Extinction and then Some. No? He cares much for what She said and then what you said to her. You never can win a Home by sitting around and talking about yourself and the other Maudes, Myrtles and Maries."

"And how do you put it across?" asked the other.

HOW SHE WORKED IT

"Oh, I suppose I don't know a Thing about the Male Sex, do I?" asked the Popular One with a Squint. "From the Minute that any Charley-Boy shows up at my Work-Shop, I talk about Him and naught else. I make him tell me about his Clothes and how he has his Room fixed up. I repeat all that I ever heard any of the Girls say about him. If I can't recall a good Philopene, I Fake one. Anything to keep him Warmed Up.

"I throw the Limelight on him all Evening. He has the Center of the Stage and makes all the Hits and gets all the Gardenias. I am simply present to feed him his Cues and demand Encores.

"Sometimes it is hard work to Boost all Evening but I seldom fail to land him. When he gets up to go at 11 o'clock, he is swelled all out of Shape. Naturally, he thinks I am just about the Main Lady of the whole Works and he is back to see me again next Evening."

SAVING UP FOR ONE

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"Some day I will single out one and take a Strangle Hold on him," said her Friend in a confidential Whisper. "And when I do, he won't stay up on any Pedestal more than Twenty Minutes. You get me!"

"I begin to see the Light," said the other, thoughtfully. 'Watch me apply the Ointment."

Moral—It is better to hold back a few kinds of Conversation for those long Evenings at Home.

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Wenchow	Haean	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
River Ports	Train & Str	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan Ports	Yamashiro M.	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Japan Ports	do	.. 17.00	..	..	..		
Swatow and Hongkong	Wingsang	.. 17.00	..	..	..		
Chefoo	Kashing	.. 17.00	..	..	..		
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Hankow	Train	.. 17.00	..	..	..		
TOMORROW.							
United Kingdom, via Suez	†Elpenor	.. 15.00	..	..	..	..	..
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Wingsang	7.00	..	..	..	..	6.30
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin	Fengtien	9.00	8.30	..	..	..	8.30
Amoy	Ichang	11.00	10.30	..	..	..	10.30
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Thursday, April 21.							
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Amoy, H'kong & C'ton	Soochow	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
Amoy and Hongkong	do	..	8.30	..	..	..	..
Japan Ports	Yawata Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Friday, April 22.							
Hongkong & Manila	H. Dollar	17.00	..	..	..	..	16.30
W'wei, C'foo, and T'tsin	Kingsing	12.00	11.30	..	..	..	11.30
Japan Ports	Yawata Maru	..	9.00	..	..	..	..
Saturday, April 23.							
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	Chenan	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Swatow and Hongkong	do	..	9.30	..	..	..	..
Japan, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Kashima M.	16.00	..	..	..	..	15.30
Swatow and Hongkong	Kwongsang		17.00	..	..	..	
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton	do	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
W'wei, C'foo and T'tsin	Tungchow	9.00	8.30	..	..	..	8.30
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Tuesday, April 26.							
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Hongkong	Sinkiang	..	11.30	..	..	..	..
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Soudan	11.00	..	..	..	..	10.30

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SWATOW, H'KONG & C'TON.—China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Chenan**, Captain P. R. Pursiow, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, April 23, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agent Freight Tel. 77 and Passage Tel. 401.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Sinkiang**, Capt. C. W. Puckett, will leave from the French Bund direct for the above ports on Tuesday, April 26, at 1 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

AMOY.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. **Ichang**, Captain J. A. McCulloch, will leave on Wednesday, April 20, at noon. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE** Agents Tel. No. 77.

WENCHOW and FOOCHOW.—The Str. Feiching, Capt. Smith, will leave on Wednesday, April 20, morning. For Freight or Passage apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

WENCHOW.—The Str. Haean, Capt. Wallace, will be on Thursday morning, April 21. For Freight or Passage apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

For Northern Ports

WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Fengtien**, Capt. C. A. Christiansen will leave from the French Bund on Wednesday, April 20, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

CHEFOO AND DALNY.—The China Navigation Company's Steamer **Kashing**, Captain H. P. Hope, will leave on Wednesday, April 20, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE**, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

WEIHAIWEI CHEFOO AND TIENTSIN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Tungchow**, Captain Harris, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, Apr. 23, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.**

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Yingchow**, Capt. G. Byers, will leave from the Watung Wharf on Saturday, April 23, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to **BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

VLADIVOSTOK Direct.—The Mail s.s. **YUNGSHIN**, Captain Pooiga, will be dispatched from Shanghai on Monday, April 25. For Freight or Passage apply to L. V. Lang, 8 French Bund Phone Nos. C. 4702 and 3059.

CHINWANGTAO Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will dispatch the s.s. **Haivdan** on April 23. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agents, 1 Jinkee Road Phone C. 317.

TIENTSIN Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration. will despatch the s.s. **Kwangping** on April 25, 1921. For Freight or Passenge, apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 317.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer **Hsin Peking** Captain J. Oundney, will leave from the French Bund on Wednesday, April 20, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage apply to **BUTTERFIELD AND SWIRE**, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

FOOCHOW.—The Str. **Feiching** Captain Smith, will leave on Tuesday morning, April 19. For Freight or Passage apply to **C.M.S.N. Co.**

SWATOW HONGKONG & CANTON.—The Str. **Kungping**, Capt. Hausen, will leave on Tuesday morning, April 19. For Freight or Passage apply to **C. M. S. N. Co.**

Launch Services

Monday, April 25, 1921

The tender conveying passengers and baggage on board the N.Y.K. s.s. **Inaba Maru** will leave the Customs Jetty at 9 a.m.

Tuesday, April 26, 1921

The tender Gutzlaff conveying passengers and baggage on board the P. & O. s.s. **Soudan** will leave the Customs Jetty at 11 a.m.

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
Apr. 20	—	New York v. Suez	C. of Dunkirk	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 20	—	New York, ports	Durban Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 23	—	San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 24	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Br.	China Mail
Apr. 24	—	Seattle	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 26	—	New York via Suez	K. Companion	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 26	—	Seattle, ports	Cross Keys	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 28	—	San Francisco	West Jena	Am.	S. & Dix
Apr. 28	—	New York	Mulpua	Am.	Adl. Line
Apr. 28	—	San Francisco	†Golden State	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Apr. 30	—	Vancouver	†E. of Russia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
Apr. 30	—	San Francisco	†Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
May 6	—	†Portland	Montague	Am.	Adl. Line
May 7	—	Seattle, ports	West Jessup	Am.	S. & Dix
May. 7	—	Portland, Ore.	West Kader	Am.	Ch. P. Co.
May 10	—	New York, ports	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
May 17	—	Seattle, ports	†Wenatchee	Am.	Adl. Line
May 20	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C. P. O. S.
May 21	—	San Francisco	†Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May 21	—	San Francisco	†China	Am.	China Mail
May 25	—	New York v. Suez	M. S. Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
May 28	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
May 28	—	Portland, Ore	West Keats	Am.	Ch. P. Co.
June 1	—	New York v. Suez	Loretta	Am.	S. & Dix
June 1	—	New York via Suez	Loretta	Am.	S. & Dix
June 5	—	New York v. Suez	Robert Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June 5	—	New York v. P'ma	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
June 9	—	San Francisco	†Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
June 18	—	Vancouver	†Monteagle	Br.	C. P. O. S.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Apr. 20	—	Kobe	Iyo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 20	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 22	—	N'saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 23	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 27	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 29	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 30	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 5	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Takeshima M.	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Apr. 21	—	Hamburg, ports	Elpenor	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 21	—	London, ports	Matsuye Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 21	—	Rotterdam, ports	Carnarvonshire	Br.	G. L. & A.
Apr. 25	—	Hamburg, ports	Kasenga	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 25	—	London, ports	Inaba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 26	1.00	London, ports	†Soudan	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Apr. 28	—	Antwerp, ports	Pyrrhus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 29	—	Bombay, ports	†Dilwara	Br.	M. M. & Co
May 2	—	Liverpool, ports	Antilochus	Br.	B. & S.
May 5	—	Genoa, Liverpool	Orestes	Br.	B. & S.
May 9	—	London, ports	†Nagoya	Br.	M. M. & Co
May 9	—	London, ports	Kamo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
May 18	—	Hamburg, ports	Boeroe	Dut.	H. C. T. Co
May 12	—	Antwerp, ports	Demodocus	Br.	B. & S.
May 17	—	Liverpool, ports	Tydous	Br.	B. & S.
May 24	—	Liverpool	Hector	Br.	B. & S.
May 26	—	Antwerp, ports	Agapenor	Br.	B. & S.
June 9	—	Hamburg, ports	Machaon	Br.	B. & S.
June 9	—	Liverpool, ports	Euryades	Br.	B. & S.
June 18	—	Liverpool, ports	Bellerophon	Br.	B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Apr. 19	3.30	Ningpo	Klangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 19	D.L.	Hongkong & Canton	Szechuen	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 19	—	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kungping	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 19	—	Foochow	Feiching	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 20	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 20	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshae	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 20	9.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Wingsang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 20	—	Wenchow	Haean	Br.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 20	noon	Amoy	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 21	10.00*	A. H'kong, C'ton	Soochow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 22	—	Hongkong, Manila	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 23	11.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Chenan	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 25	—	Hongkong, S'pore	China	Am.	China Mail
Apr. 25	—	Foochow, ports	Keelung M.	Jap.	O. S. K.
Apr. 26	1.00	Hongkong & Canton	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 26	—	Hongkong	Suwa Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. 28	—	Hongkong, Manila	Wenatchee	Am.	A. Line
Apr. 30	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
May 9	—	Hongkong	E. of Japan	Br.	C. P. O. S.
May 14	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C. P. O. S.
May 14	—	Hongkong	Taiyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Apr. 19	9.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Yusang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 20	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 20	9.00*	Chefoo, Dairen	Kashing	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 20	9.00*	Tsingtao	Choysang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 21	—	Tientsin, ports	Fukuken Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Apr. 23	10.00*	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Tungchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 23	11.00*	Tsingtao	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 21	—	Chefoo, N'chwang	Toonan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 22	2.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Kingsing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 23	—	Chinwangtao	Halvdan	Nor.	K.M.A.
Apr. 25	—	Tientsin	Kwangping	Br.	K. M. A.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Apr. 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 19	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 19	8.00*	Pukow	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Apr. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br.	B. & S.
Apr 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr 21	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tehhsing	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Esang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangfoo	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ngankin	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 25	—	Chungking, ports	R. Dollar II.	Am.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangya	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br.	B. & S.

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Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, APRIL 19, 1921

High Water at Woosung Bar

(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are equal at noon and midnight).

Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at heaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at heaps, 7½ h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Rangs	P.M. Time	P.M. Rangs
10h. 0m.	7ft. 0in.	10h. 28m.	7ft. 6in.

Hight Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides).
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
8	41	9	11

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
3.26 p.m.	3.12 a.m.	5h. 28m.	6h. 30m.	4h. 43m.	7h. 15m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
For April 30.00 in.
762.0 mm.

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FOR HONGKONG and CANTON via SWATOW and AMOY.
S.S. "SOOCHOW" .....sails April 21st, at 10 a.m.
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Empress of Japan	May 20	May 26	June 7
Empress of Asia	May 28	June 4	June 13
Monteagle	June 18	June 24	July 8
Empress of Russia	June 25	July 2	July 11
Empress of Japan	July 16	July 22	Aug. 3
Empress of Asia	July 23	July 30	Aug. 8

TO HONGKONG VIA MANILA
Emp. of Asia ..May 14
Emp. of Russia .June 11
Emp. of Asia ... July 9
Emp. of Russia Aug. 6

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Emp. of Japan May 9
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Emp. of Japan.. July 5
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S.S. "CHINA"	May 21	June 13
S.S. "NANKING"	June 19	July 11

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KASUGA MARU .... 7,000 Capt. H. Kishira, April 29
TAKESHIMA MARU. 4,500 Capt. T. Takechi, May 5

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KUMANO MARU .... 9,500 Capt. K. Kobayashi, April 23
OMI MARU ..... 7,000 Capt. S. Shiratori, April 27
CHIKUGO MARU ....5,500 Capt. S. Kishimoto, April 30

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IYO MARU ..... 12,500 Capt. S. Hirata, April 20

FOR HONGKONG.
SUWA MARU ..... 21,000 Capt. M. Machida, April 26

FOR MANILA AND HONGKONG.
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Date	From	Ships Name	Flag	Agents
Apr. 17	—	Honolulu Maru	Jap	
Apr. 17	— Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 17	— Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 17	— San Francisco	China Arrow	Am.	Socony.
Apr. 17	— Japan	Carnarvonshire	Br.	G.L.E.A.
Apr. 17	— Chinwangtao	Patriot	Br.	K. M. A.
Apr. 17	— Swatow	Kausu	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 17	— Foochow	Feiching	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 17	— Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 17	— Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 17	— Hankow, etc.	Nanyang Maru	Jap.	[illegible]
Apr. 17	— Hankow	Hanping	Chi.	H. Y. P.
Apr. 17	— Japan	Daiya Maru	Jap.	M. S. K.
Apr. 17	— Chinwangtao	Anatina	Br.	
Apr. 17	— Japan	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Apr. 17	— New York	C. of Dunkirk	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Apr. 18	— Hongkong	Soochow	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 18	— Chinwangtao	Satsuki Maru	Jap.	K.M.A.
Apr. 18	— Wenchow	[illegible]	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 18	— Liverpool, ports	Telemachus	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 18	— Japan	Hokkai Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Apr. 18	— Foochow	Kienhsin	Chi.	C.I. & E.L. Co.
Apr. 18	— Hankow, etc.	Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Apr. 18	— Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 18	— Hankow, etc.	Meifoo	Am.	Socony.
Apr. 18	— Hankow, etc.	Suiyang	Jap.	N. [illegible] a
Apr. 18	— Amoy	Sungshan Mat	Jap.	N.K.K.
Apr. 18	— Swatow	Kashing	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 18	— Tientsin, ports	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
Apr. 18	— Cruise	Store Nordiske	Dan.	[illegible] Co
Apr. 18	— Japan	Taitsu Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.

Vessels Due

Agapenor, *U. Kingdom*	Apr. 22	Kwongsang, *Pukow*	Apr. 21
Choysang, *Hongkong*	Apr. 19	Luenho, *Hankow*	Apr. 20
Chenan, *Tsingtao*	Apr. 21	Luenyi, *Hankow*	Apr. 21
Changon, *Hankow*	Apr. 24	Ngankin, *Hankow*	Apr. 23
China, *S. Francisco*	Apr. 24	Nile, *Hongkong*	Apr. 24
Demodocus, *U. Kingdom*	Apr. 25	Poyang, *Hankow*	Apr. 2[illegible]
Esang, *Hankow*	Apr.	Shantung, *Hongkong*	Apr. 23
Hangsang, *Hongkong*	Apr. 23	Suiwo, *Hankow*	Apr. 21
Hsin Ningshao, *Ningpo*	Apr. 20	Shengking, *Hankow*	Apr. 24
Hsinchi, *Foochow*	Apr. 21	Shuntieu, *Tientsin*	Apr. 24
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo*	Apr. 20	Soudan, *Japan*	Apr. 24
Hsinkong, *Tientsin*	Apr. 20	Sunning, *Hongkong*	Apr. 25
Hsinming, *Tientsin*	Apr. 23	Suwa Maru, *Seattle*	Apr. 25
Kiangteen, *Ningpo*	Apr. 19	Toonan, *Newchwang*	Apr. 19
Kiangfoo, *Hankow*	Apr. 22	Tuckwo, *Hankow*	Apr. 2[illegible]
Kianghsin, *Hankow*	Apr. 23	Tehhsing, *Hankow*	Apr. 21
Kingsing, *Tientsin*	Apr. 20	Tungchow, *Tientsin*	Apr. 20
Kiangan, *Hankow*	Apr. 19	Venezuela, *Hongkong*	Apr. 23
Kumano Maru, *Japan*	Apr. 20	Waishing, *Hongkong*	Apr. 2[illegible]
Kutwo, *Hankow*	Apr. 22	W. Carmona, *S. Francisco*	Apr. 19
Koshima Maru, *Hongkong*	Apr. 23	West Jessup, *Seattle*	Apr. 19
Kiangwah, *Hankow*	Apr. 26	Wenatchee, *Seattle*	Apr. 2[illegible]
Kiangyung, *Hankow*	Apr. 25	Wingsang, *Tsingtao*	Apr. 19
Kwangchi, *Wenchow*	Apr. 22	Wuchang, *Hankow*	Apr. 22
		Whangpu, *Hankow*	Apr. 25
		Yawata Maru, *Japan*	Apr. 19
		Yingchow, *Hongkong*	Apr. 21

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FUKUKEN MARU...	5,000	Y. Fukami,	Apr. 19	Apr. 21

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Shipping Items

The M.M. s.s. Meinam, from Antwerp on February 12, is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Thursday.

The B.I. s.s. Takada, from Calcutta on March 25, was expected to leave Hongkong for Amoy and Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangan left Hankow for Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Choysang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow today.

The I-C. s.s. Wingsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Tsingtao today.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Knight Companion is expected to leave Kobe for Taku Bar and Shanghai on Thursday.

The P. and O. s.s. Soudan is expected to leave Kobe for Shanghai tomorrow and is due to sail from this port for London and ports at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, April 26.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Tientsin and Chefoo tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungchow left Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yawata Maru left Nagasaki for Shanghai on Sunday and is expected to arrive at the Wayside Wharf today.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Iyo Maru is expected to arrive in Shanghai from London and ports today and will sail for Kobe tomorrow.

The S.P. s.s. Tehhsing left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Esang will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Hongkong for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan will leave Tsingtao for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinkong left Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai on Sunday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Demodocus, from United Kingdom, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Kwongsang is due in Shanghai from Pukow on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Hangsang is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Canton and Hongkong on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Taishun will leave Wenchow for Amoy and Canton today.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinming will leave Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Toonan left Chefoo for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinfung left Newchwang for Tientsin on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi will leave Foochow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kwangchi will leave Wenchow for Shanghai on Thursday.

The P. and O. s.s. Dilwara, from Bombay on April 10, is expected to leave Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai tomorrow.

The P. and O. s.s. Kashgar which sailed from Shanghai on March 1 arrived in London on April 12.

The B. I. s.s. Takada, from Calcutta, left Hongkong at 10 o'clock yesterday morning and is due in Shanghai by way of Amoy on Friday morning.

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Fushimi Maru ..... Mar. 13
West Ivis ..... Apr. 14

FOR PORTLAND
West Keats ..... Mar. 12
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West Nivaria ..... Mar. 30
Coaxet ..... Apr. 5
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FOR LOS ANGELES
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FOR NEW YORK
Amazon Maru ..... Mar. 17
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Apus ..... Mar. 18
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Laertes ..... Mar. 26
Egremont Castle ..... Apr. 2
Kandahar ..... Apr. 3

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Mishima Maru ..... Mar. 14
Karmala ..... Mar. 15
Kashmir ..... Mar. 22
Nankin ..... Mar. 31
Sado Maru ..... Mar. 31
Pembrokeshire ..... Apr. 4
Kitano Maru .....Apr. 11
Khyber ..... Apr. 12

FOR LIVERPOOL
Telamon ..... Mar. 14
Knight of the Garter ..Mar. 26
Ajax ..... Apr. 14

FOR COPENHAGEN
Indien ..... Mar. 26

FOR ROTTERDAM
Glenariffe ..... Mar. 13
Alderamin ..... Apr. 12

FOR HAMBURG
Shunko Maru ..... Mar. 19
Ningchow ..... Apr. 1
Burma Maru ..... Apr. 15

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Cordillere ..... Mar. 25
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Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Bolton, Messrs. Chang, R. Inouye, G. Sunoda, Chang, Yanaka, L. S. Ching.

Per I-C. s.s. Loongwo from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Epstein, Dr. Ivy, Messrs. C. W. Jenkins, Craft, J. A. T. Thomas, R. D. Simpson, M. P. Walker, W. O. Keats, O. C. Kench.

Per N.S. s.s. Ningshao from Hankow: Mrs. Kelly, Mr. and Mrs. O. F. Braster, and 5 children, Mr. and Mrs. N. Benson, Miss H. Collery, Mstr. A. Tucker.

Per C.M. s.s. Hwahta from Hankow: Mesrs. D. M. Stromdahl A. Paton.

Per C.N. s.s. Fengtien from Tientsin: Miss H. Morton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Coultman, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holwell and 3 children, Mrs. A. M. Bulmer, Miss M. C. Fitzgerald, Messrs. E. A. Mackay, F. H. Crossly, W. Armour.

Per C.N. s.s. Soochow from Hongkong: Misses A. M. and C. M. Renner, Rev. C. Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Richards, Mrs. C. B. Ballard, Mr. R. D. Smith.

Per N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro M. from Japan: Mrs. O. Temmer, Mrs. Bower, Mr. and Mrs. Hartshorn, Mr. and Mrs. Hisatake, Mr. and Mrs. Saito, Messrs. Abe, Oshima, B. Fuwa, K. Kotsutsumi, Nomura, Shinboshi, Hashid, Slectoss, Dell Oro, A. W. Harvey, Kawabata, Mizozoe, Miyachi.

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